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PARKHURST ON HOW TO FIGHT VICE IN BOSTON

Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, the well-known New York minister, and the man who is primarily responsible for exposing the wretched police conditions in New York in 1892-94, has been studying the annual report of Police Commissioner O'Meara of this city, and he gives his conclusions to-day in the first of a series of two articles for the AMERICAN. Dr. Parkhurst's second article will be published to-morrow. Dr. Parkhurst says: "The first move is to get at the facts and rub them under the people's noses—it is not nice business, but will serve to rouse the decent element to a sense of duty. There is no town so hardened that can ignore this sort of treatment."

Written for the American

By DR. C. H. PARKHURST.

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Judging from the annual report just issued by Stephen O'Meara, Police Commissioner for the city of Boston, things are in a bad way in that highly cultivated but vice-ridden city. It is astonishing how close refinement and depravity can come to each other without either member of the ill-mated couple experiencing embarrassment.

When speaking in Boston, at Park Street Church, two or three years ago, just at the close of an animated revival of religion that had been in progress for some weeks, I remarked that we should be able to judge how deeply the revival had penetrated the hearts of Bostonians by discovering to what extent it modified the municipal condition.

From Mr. O'Meara's report it would seem that it limited itself principally to the sanctuaries, instead of becoming a diffused influence through the town—grown under glass rather than cultivated in the open air.

Controlled by the Vicious.

The statement reaches me from Boston that the city has, to such degree, passed under the control of the vicious element that the commissioner and his force are practically helpless. Indeed, he practically says as much in his report. And there is made to me the additional statement that the situation there rather closely parallels what it was here in New York in 1892.

Accompanying this information there is extended to me, by a responsible party, the request that I will put into print my ideas as to how Boston can be rescued from its depraved condition.

I make no claim to being an expert in the matter of municipal salvation. I know that there was something done in New York in '92-'94, and I know how it was done, and that it could be done again, if it were necessary, and could doubtless be duplicated in Boston if there exists there, as is claimed, similarity of conditions.

More Without Politics.

Assuming that there is that similarity, the first thing to remark is that any move looking to the cleaning up of the city must have no politics in it.

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BEDIENT SIGNS WITH RED SOX

The signed contract of Hugh Bedient, the crack pitcher of the Fall River team of the New England League, was received at American League headquarters this morning.

A number of major league clubs were after the services of Bedient, who ranked as one of the star twirlers of the New England League last season, and who comes to the Red Sox indorsed by many of the most prominent baseball fans in this part of the country.

BOY IS DEAD FROM COASTING ACCIDENT

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Feb. 16.—Royal Kern, sixteen years old, son of George J. Kern of No. 248 Pawtucket avenue, died to-day in the Twin City Hospital from injuries he sustained while coasting down a steep hill on Highland avenue Monday. The lad's sled ran into an automobile, owned and driven by John H. Vallette, business manager of a newspaper in Attleboro, and Kern was hurled several feet. His skull was fractured and he did not recover consciousness.

HARVARD BOYS HAVE SMOKER SCHEDULED

The Harvard class of 1905 will hold a "smoker" on Saturday evening, February 25, at the University Club, No. 270 Beacon street. Among the attractions scheduled is Charles Lyon Chandler, United States Vice Consul at Buenos Ayres, who will speak on "South America." The committee in charge of the dinner consists of: William M. Bunting, Jr., Hermann F. Clarke, Winthrop C. Richmond, Walter T. Harrison and Charles E. Mason.

Augustus McSeeker has never a lack
Of roomers to take all his rooms, front and back,
His house is packed full to the very top floor.
American "ads" bring 'em right to his door.

CONFESSION OF KILLING READ

A confession made to the police by William R. Remington was read to-day during the trial of Remington for the murder of Max Sorokien of No. 293 Harrison avenue on July 31. The confession was introduced as having been made by Remington to Chief Inspector Dugan, when he was arrested by him at the State Hospital in Tewksbury, and to have been dictated by the prisoner's remorse at having unwittingly killed Sorokien, who kept a small store.

Inspector Dugan testified to placing Remington under arrest. The confession said he was a printer, but had not worked steadily just before Sorokien was shot. He needed morphine, he said, and a friend had promised to obtain some for him the previous evening, but failed to do so. Some time before, because of threats of bodily injury, he had obtained a revolver, and on the morning of the 31st he went to Sorokien's store in an effort to sell the weapon and buy morphine with the proceeds. He pulled out the weapon to show it to Sorokien, he said, but the shopkeeper became excited at the sight of the revolver and his action so affeted Remington, in his highly nervous state, that he lost control of himself and pulled the trigger.

SALEM ENSIGN NAMED TO LEARN AVIATION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Ensign Charles F. Pousland, whose parents live in Salem, Mass., was appointed yesterday as the second pupil of the United States navy to learn the art of flying at the aviation grounds of Glen Curtiss at San Diego, Cal. Lieutenant Theodore G. Ellison is now undergoing a course of instruction under Mr. Curtiss, and Acting Secretary of the Navy Winthrop accepted, yesterday, the airman's offer to train another officer. Ensign Pousland is attached to the torpedo destroyer Preble.

14,618,761 CATHOLICS IN UNITE DSTATES

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 16.—According to the Wiltzius official Catholic directory, now in press here, there are 14,618,761 Roman Catholics in the United States.

The Catholics of New York State number 2,758,171; Pennsylvania, 1,527,239; Illinois, 1,446,400; Massachusetts, 1,380,921; New Jersey, 495,000; Connecticut, 378,854, and New Hampshire, 126,035.

This does not include the Catholics in any of the island possessions.

THE WEATHER.

Fair to-night; Friday increasing cloudiness; rising temperature; moderate variable winds.

Sun rises 6:40, *sets* 5:17.
Moon rises 8:58 *p. m.*
High tide 1:25 *a. m.;* 1:42 *p. m.*

THREATS IN CUSUMANO CASE TOLD

PLYMOUTH, Feb. 16.—The story that threats were made that terrorized witnesses who might be called in the murder trial of Lena Cusumano and Harry Marshall, charged with the killing of Frank Cusumano, was one of the startling features injected into the remarkable trial to-day by the testimony of Mrs. Martin Jacobson. She said that she had tried to close the lips of her husband as to what he knew because she feared for his life.

This was followed by a second sensation when Mrs. Vincenze Lauro, and her daughter Lena Cusumano, talked together in the courtroom. From the actions of the two women the police decided to keep a close watch upon them when they were together and Deputy Chief of Police Hollis of Abington was stationed near them. They feared that Lena Cusumano might attempt suicide.

Mrs. Jacobson to-day identified the quilt found wrapped about the mutilated remains of the man claimed to be Cusumano as one that Cusumano had taken from her home. The defence claims that the body found was not that of Cusumano.

Walter Jacobson, fifteen years old, and wearing knee breeches, took the witness stand.

Boy Testifies.

The boy said that he had noticed the quilt in his back yard. He said it was spread out there to dry. He said he saw it several times.

"Did others see it?" asked District Attorney Barker.

"Yes, my mother," replied the boy.

Q.—Did you and your mother talk about the quilt? A.—Yes.

Q.—Who was working about your place at this time? A.—Frank Cusumano.

Q.—Did he take loads of odds and ends from your home? A.—Yes. I went with him and drove the team. Frank took the quilt from the back yard.

Q.—What did he do with it? A.—When he got home he threw it across a push cart in front of his home.

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JAIL INQUIRY AT WORCESTER

WORCESTER, Feb. 16.—The Committee on Prisons of the Legislature began here to-day in the Council Chamber of the City Hall an investigation into alleged scandals in the management of the Worcester House of Correction. The charges have their origin in favoritism shown to Wilford A. Bailey, a well-known insurance man who is serving a term of imprisonment for embezzlement and perjury.

The complaint shows that Bailey was permitted by officers of the prison to conduct his private business from his cell and even to leave prison at night to go downtown to the postoffice; also that his horse was used by an officer of the jail and that general laxity of prison discipline prevailed.

All the members of the committee were present with the exception of Senator Joseph Lomasney. An exciting incident occurred soon after the opening of the hearing. It occurred when matches ignited in the pocket of Allen Clark of Ward 12, Boston, a member o fthe committee, setting fire to his clothing. The fire was quickly extinguished and the hearing proceeded.

Sheriff a Witness.

Among the witnesses who were called to the hearing were Sheriff Dwinnell of Fitchburg, Inspectors Molt and Murray of the State police, W. Ansel Washburn, former keeper of the House of Correction, who resigned because of the charges; Robert Taft, a former officer of the jail; George F. Whitney, engineer; former District Attorney George S. Taft and Walter H. Davis, a man to whom Bailey, the prisoner under investigation, owed money.

County Commissioners Goodsell, Cook and Moore were also in attendance. Interest in Worcester and in Fitchburg is at high tension, and the Council Chamber was crowded throughout the public session. Council for Sheriff Dwinell was David I. Walsh of Clinton, for former master of the jail, Washburn, Webster Thayer of Worcester and for Walter H. Davis, Frank B. Hall of Worcester.

Tells of Bailey.

Former District Attorney Taft was the first witness. He said the condition of affairs at the jail was first brought to his attention by the State police. They were of the nature that favoritism was being shown to Wilford A. Bailey. He saw nothing of a criminal nature in the charges and believed the abuses alleged were administrative and could be dealt with by the internal management of the jail.

WAVE BATTERS IN STEAMSHIP HATCH

With a smashed forward hatch, twisted rails and broken skylights, the steamship Richmond came in to-day from Fowey, England. C. H. Carlson, a sailor, was sent to the Marine Hospital in Chelsea, suffering from internal injuries which he received when a wave came over the bow. The same wave burst in the hatch, flooded the hold and damaged 100 tons of China clay.

HOME RULE LEADERS JUBILANT

LONDON, Feb. 16.—With the government pledged to establish home rule in Ireland, with the anti-home rule amendment to the royal address defeated in the House of Commons by a vote of 326 to 213, all the forces that have been working to give Ireland a representative government of its own were jubilant to-day.

The defeat of the amendment late last night by a majority of 113 votes, the largest the government has obtained on any question in this Parliament, was greeted with cheers on the Liberal and Nationalist sides of the chamber.

Premier Asquith announced in the House of Commons this afternoon that the second reading of the veto bill will begin on February 27. Debate will start at that time.

For the first time in the history of Home Rule agitation the various Irish factions have been harmonized as far as the important aspects of the question are concerned. The Nationalists, led by John Redmond, and the Independent Nationalists, of whom William O'Brien is the leader, are pledged to support Premier Asquith's plan for an Irish Parliament.

The two parties many differ on lesser points involved in the government plan but they will work together henceforth to accomplish their main end.

Mr. Redmond declared to-day that the Unionists' prediction of civil war in Ireland if home rule is forced upon the minority was without foundation.

"The defeat of the anti-home rule amendment," he said, "indicates a complete victory for the policy of complete self-government for Ireland. Ireland itself will be united and all factions will work together in peace."

Redmond Congratulated.

Similar sentiments were voiced by Mr. O'Brien. The latter, however, said he feared that it might be impossible to put through the Irish Parliament plan at the present session of the English Parliament.

Both Unionists and Liberals to-day congratulated Mr. Redmond upon the brilliant speech which he made against the amendment last night.

The clean-cut victory of the government party in last night's vote was declared to-day to foreshadow a triumph for the Liberals when the veto bill is put to a vote.

Home Secretary Churchill said if they could reconcile the Irish and English people and rally the Irish nation around the monarchy it would gain an advantage equal to many divisions of the fleet and army. Moreover, he added, there would be not one of the self-governing colonies whose relations with the mother country would not be rendered more intimate and more cordial.

Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland, in summing up the debate, said that Ireland alone could deal adequately with her own affairs. "We cannot do justice to Ireland on the floor of the House," he declared.

In making his announcement of the Irish policy to the House, Premier Asquith said:

Threat From Ulster.

"We can only arrive at a satisfactory solution of the problem of congestion of business in this House by creating an Irish Parliament with an Irish executive. They shall deal with purely Irish affairs, while the supremacy of this Parliament must be maintained."

That the government plan for Irish home rule will be accepted by Ireland was announced by John E. Redmond, leader of the Nationalists. He said:

"The Nationalists accept the Premier's declaration of policy which we believe honestly to be a final settlement of the question. Our cause is marching rapidly to victory. The present situation between the two nations is disastrous. It is not

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EXONERATED FOR WRECK OF BARGES

The official report of the United States inspectors on the wreck of the barges Pine Forest, Tiverton and Corbin, which were lost on Peaked Hill bar off Cape Cod with their entire crew of seventeen men on January 10, was made public to-day. The report exonerates Captain Francis E. Hammond of the steamer Lykens, which had the barges in tow, from all blame, but states that there is an opportunity to criticise the officer in charge of the steamer at the time that the hawsers connecting [illegible] parted for not keeping a greater distance from the beach. The report was made by the local United States steamboat inspectors, Captain William A. Carleton and Captain Andrew J. Savage.

THREE ARE HELD FOR BREAKING INTO STORE

In the Municipal Court at South Boston to-day Judge Fallon found Martin J. O'Malley, Edward J. Foley and Patrick J. Conley probably guilty of breaking and entering the store of the Talbot Clothing Company at No. 39 West Broadway and stealing about $200 worth of goods. The three men were held for the Grand Jury under $1,000 bonds.

VAIL CHOSEN HEAD OF A. D. T. COMPANY

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Theodore N. Vail of Boston has been elected president of the American District Telegraph of New Jersey, succeeding R. C. Clowry, resigned.

POPE PIUS X., WHO IS ILL WITH THE INFLUENZA

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POPE DISOBEYS DOCTOR'S ORDER

ROME, Feb. 16.—The refusal of Pope Pius to obey the orders of his physicians is regarded as one of the greatest dangers of his present illness.

Disregarding the order of Dr. Petacci to-day, he left his bed and attended to a large mass of correspondence with the aid of his secretary, Cardinal del Val.

Dr. Petacci, fearing a relapse, advised the pontiff to return to his bed, but he refused to do so. Late this afternoon the patient's fever had completely disappeared.

The following bulletin was issued by Dr. Petacci at noon:

"The Pope's symptoms are no longer grave. We are convinced that he will recover within four days."

The increase of the inflammation caused the physicians to fear bronchial trouble, which would interfere with the breathing of the aged patient. Though the fever had decreased, his temperature was still above normal. The two physicians remained in an ante-room outside the Pontiff's chamber during the night, and were visited at intervals by the Pope's sisters, who arrived here from their Northern home late yesterday.

FORGERY EMPLOYED IN N. Y. SENATE FIGHT

ALBANY, Feb. 16. Assemblyman A. J. Kennedy of Queens County announced to-day that he had received a forged letter purporting to come from Congressman William Sulzer urging him to abandon Sulzer in the United States senatorial fight and vote for William F. Sheehan. Only a short time before receiving the forged letter Kennedy had heard from Sulzer, thanking him for his support. He at once telegraphed to the Congressman at Washington about the second letter and received the following reply: "It is a despicable and preposterous forgery."

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ARMY SENT TO FRONT; POWERS ARE NOTIFIED

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—The Russian government to-day notified the great powers of the world, including Great Britain, France and Germany, that because of repeated aggressions on the Manchurian border against Russian citizens, it proposed to make a military demonstration against China at once.

RUSHING SOLDIERS TO THE FRONT.

The war office is now engaged in preparations for the transportation of several regiments of soldiers to the frontier in the district of Ili. These are in addition to a large force which is practically on a war footing in Manchuria, these troops having been sent to the Manchurian border some time ago to combat the plague, which has swept through the whole northern part of the Chinese Empire and wiped out thousands of lives, also imperilling Russian subjects in Siberia.

May Withdraw Envoys.

This drastic move on the part of the imperial government comes only after a long series if negotiations with the Manchu dynasty of China, which have proved entirely unavailing so far as the Russian view is concerned. To-day diplomatic relations are on the verge of a complete rupture, and the envoys to the respective capitals, St. Petersburg and Pekin, may be summarily withdrawn by the two governments at any hour.

It is declared here that China has persistently violated the terms of the St. Petersburg treaty of 1881 and has refused to cease her aggressions on the frontier or even to apologize for the treatment accorded to Russian citizens by Chinese soldiers stationed on the boundary.

Besides the ill treatment of Russian merchants, which is one of the sources of complaint, the vital questions involved are:

Free trade in Mongolia.

Extra territorial rights of Russians in China.

The establishment of a Russian consulate at Kobde, Manchuria.

Depends on China's Attitude.

The extent of the military demonstration against China will depend entirely upon the consequent attitude assumed by China. This is announced in the diplomatic note sent to the powers.

It was reported to-day that the countries are upon the verge of breaking off all diplomatic relations, and that the Chinese Imperial Council is considering the cancellation of railroad concessions, which were about to be granted to the Russian government.

Czar Nicholas, Premier Stolypin and the War Ministry to-day have under consideration a pronunciamento which is being drawn up and which will be forwarded to China through the regular channels.

Following the revelations to-day it was reported that China had a secret motive in moving large masses of troops to the Manchurian border and that the open declaration that the soldiers were to be used for relief work in the plague zone was not in strict accordance with the facts.

For some time there have been reports of hostility between the two empires, due to Russia's contention that China has flagrantly and openly violated the treaty of 1881. For several years there have been constant complaints from Russian merchants upon the border that Chinese soldiers have interfered with their business. The shops of the Russians were sacked and their wares destroyed, while their pleas for indemnity were not heeded. Japan is keenly watching the developments, seeing a chance to tighten her hold on Manchuria, although it is not believed that the other great powers will allow the rupture to develop into war.

ANCIENTS MARCH TO STATE HOUSE

Headed by a fife and rum corps, the officers and members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company will march to the State House next Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock and greet Governor Foss. This is part of the observance of Washington's birthday by the organization. After that they will march back to their Armory in Faneuil Hall. At 1 o'clock they will re-form and march to the American House, where a reception will be held at 1:30. The annual banquet will be held in the hotel at 2 o'clock. Several well-known speakers will extol the life of Washington. A musical programme will be contributed by Baggett's orchestra and the Harvard quartette. The committee of arrangements comprises Captain John D. Nichols, Lieutenant Francis H. Appleton, Lieutenant Milton C. aPige and Adjutant James D. Coady.

FURTHER DELAY REFUSED KELIHER

Harvey H. Pratt, counsel for "Big Bill" Keliher, went before the United States Circuit Court of Appeals and Judges Colt, Putnam and Lowell to-day and asked for more time in which to file an additional supplementary brief. He contended that the government in its supplementary brief brings to the attention of the court a matter which counsel for Keliher wishes to contend. United States District Attorney Asa P. French opposed. Judge Putnam gave Pratt until Saturday to file the additional brief, and the government until next Tuesday to file a further brief in answer to Pratt.

SEVERE EARTHQUAKE SHOC KI NITALY

ROME, Feb. A severe earthquake was felt in the Province of Foggia to-day. At Lucera the armory and prison were partially destroyed and the convicts were thrown into a panic. A number of persons were injured by falling chimneys.

POLICEMAN IS FOUND GUILTY

William E. Taylor, reserve officer of the Somerville police force, was found guilty of larceny in three counts by Judge L. Roger Wentworth in Somerville District Court to-day.

He was given a total sentence of four months in the House of Correction on the three convictions. He appealed from each one and was held in a total of $800 for the Superior Court.

On a charge of breaking and entering and larceny Judge Wentworth found probable cause against Taylor and held him for the Superior Court in $1,500.

On a fourth charge of larceny Taylor was adjudged not guilty. Judge Wentworth said the evidence was insufficient.

Plea for Leniency.

Before sentence was pronounced Taylor's counsel, Albert E. Hughes, made a plea for leniency. Then Taylor, who has stoutly maintained his innocence throughout the week's trial, made a personal appeal to the court. He mentioned particularly his sick wife and little child. Tears came to his eyes as he spoke.

But Judge Wentworth scored Taylor's defense severely in summing up. Captain Robert R. Perry of the Somerville police, who prosecuted the case, asked the court to bear in mind the position of trust that Taylor had held as a policeman.

The court room was jammed. Several of the night policemen took advantage of being off duty to be present. Mrs. Taylor who, as Taylor said, was operated upon only six weeks ago, was there. But just before Judge Wentworth gave his finding, Mrs. Taylor left the court room at the suggestion of her husband's counsel.

During the week evidence has been heard for and against Taylor on three charges of larceny, and one of breaking and entering. Taylor took the witness stand himself and declared that all the property he was accused of stealing was bought by himself, except a talking machine which he said he found in Clarendon Hill lodge when two young men left it there upon being frightened by his approach.

Taylor said he didn't turn the talking machine into the police station because he wanted to be sure he retained possession of it in case no claimant appeared. He said that other officers did the same with property they found, and that when he turned in some property once before he was unable to get it back for himself, even though no owner appeared.

Larceny of Tools.

To-day's court proceedings began with evidence on the final charge, that of larceny of tools from Captain Joseph A. Cribby of Hose 8. After that was finished Judge Wentworth gave his findings in the five different charges which had occupied the court since last Monday.

He found Taylor guilty on charges of larceny of $14 worth of batteries from the Clarendon Hill car barn of the Elevated; of larceny of $5 worth of tools from Captain Edward Trefren of Hose 5, and of larceny of tools from Captain Cribby. He sentenced Taylor to two months on the first count and to a month each on the other two.

The case in which probable cause was found and in which Taylor was held in $1,500 for the Superior Court is that of breaking into the Lincoln schoolhouse last May and taking a $35 talking machine owned by one of the teachers, Mrs. Louise K. Simms of Waverly. This is the talking machine that Taylor said he found in Clarendon Hill lodge after frightening away two young men whom he saw there.

The charge of which Taylor was acquitted for "insufficient evidence" was that of larceny of a $3 fountain pen from Dr. William E. Hill, a dentist. Taylor's plea for mercy to Judge Wentworth was:

"I have been married six years and have a child two years old. My wife is sick. She was operated on six weeks ago. If I am sent away my wife and child will have no means of support. I have no relatives here. There is no one but me to care for them."

Refuses to Hear Plea.

Tayor's counsel wished to offer a plea from Mrs. Taylor also but Judge Wentworth refused to hear it.

The Judge said in his summing up, with particular reference to the talking machine charge:

"The defendant admits that the property was stolen property. There is no need to say where or when it was stolen. In his story he says he was there in performance of duty. He saw two men and was satisfied that they handled stolen property. There is no need to refer to the rules of the police department. When a police officer finds stolen property and take that property himself, how much belief can be placed that he did not do something else? It is a direct violation of the rules. He had immediate evidence that an offence had been committed. I place no credence whatsoever in his story."

HONORED BY KING.

ROME, Feb. 16.—Qing Peter of Servia, who is visiting King Victor Emmanuel, to-day conferred the order of Karageorgevitch upon Crown Prince Umberto, who is six years old.

SUICIDE TRIED BY NALBANDIAN

SALEM, Feb. 16.—Vahan Nalbandian, on trial for his life for the murder of his friend, Minas Momjian, to-day declared that he tried to kill himself after he saw that he had accidentally shot his friend while showing him a new revolver.

This statement from Nalbandian came during a severe cross-examination conducted by District Attorney Atwill, during which Nalbandian was made to go into every detail of the story he told of the killing while on the witness stand yesterday.

"What did you do when you saw Momjion fall?" asked the District Attorney.

"Agenian, who was in the room, told me to run for a doctor. I was trying to shoot myself when he spoke to me. Then I started out into the hall. I went a few steps and came back because I did not have any coat or hat on."

Expect to End Case To-day.

The cross examination of Nalbandian was resumed when court opened to-day. Evidence in the case is expected to be finished to-day. There will be two more witnesses for the defence and then several for the prosecution in rebuttal.

District Attorney Atwill plunged into the heart of the story. He asked:

Q.—Where was Momjian sitting when you were showing him the revolver? A.—He was sitting on the bed in front of me. Agenian was sitting on my left in a Morris chair.

Q.—Did you have the revolver in your hand? A.—Yes. I took out all the cartridges; that is, I thought I took them all out.

Q.—After the shot was fired what did Momjian do? A.—He rose up from the bed, took two steps forward and fell.

Q.—How did he fall? A.—He fell on his side, I think.

Q.—Did you touch him? A.—No. I looked at him. I called to him and then I fell on the bed and cried.

Q.—What did you say? A.—I said, "Oh, my God what has happened to me."

Q.—Did you say anything to Momjian? A.—Well, I went over to him and called to him, but he said nothing.

Q.—Didn't he say anything at all? A.—Just before he fell he said, "I feeling——" I think that is what he said. I said: "what's the matter?" and then he fell.

Q.—What did you do? A.—Agenian said to rush for a doctor. I was trying to shoot myself. Then I started out into the hall. I went a few steps and then I came back because I did not have a coat or hat on.

District Attorney Atwill then called for a Mr. Comfort. The man came in and took a position before the witness.

"Do you know this man?" asked the District Attorney.

"No, I don't think I ever saw him before," replied Nalbandian.

This is the story that Nalbandian told on the witness stand yesterday:

Says It Was Accident.

"I was showing Momjian and Agenian my things that I had bought to take home to the old country. I took out a Colt automatic revolver. I knew it was loaded. I took out the magazine to remove the cartridges. They fell out into my hand. I did not count them.

"Then I put back the empty magazine and pulled the trigger. I heard a shot. Momjian rolled over.

"I ran over to him and said, 'What's the matter—what's the matter. Please tell me what the matter is.'

"He did not answer and then I saw blood. Then I knew that I had shot him."

"I did not know what to do. Agenian was afraid. We took hold of Momjian and shook him. We thought he might be fooling. Agenian then said he was going out for a walk. He went first and then I took my hat and went out. I found Agenian on Monroe street.

MRS. ELIZABETH GRIMARD, WITNESS IN MOMJIAN CASE

MRS ELIZABETH GRIMARD

SIMPLE REMEDY FOR KIDNEYS

Mix one-half ounce fluid extract buchu, one-half ounce murax compound, six ounces good, pure gin. Take one to two teaspoonfuls of the mixture after each meal and at bed time. The ingredients of this prescription can be had at any well-stocked drug store. Anyone can mix. This treatment has benefited thousands since it was discovered a few months ago. It quickly relieves and restores weak kidneys, bladder and other urinary channels. One should not delay after noting symptoms such as backache, rheumatic pains and other well-known signs. Serious kidney disease may develop quickly if neglected.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight London Time

Starving Chinese Become Cannibals.

PEKIN.—Several cases of cannibalism, the result of great Chinese famine, were reported to-day from the province of Kiang-Si, the centre of the starvation zone. According to these reports a man, a woman and two children were killed and their flesh eaten by villagers in the community west of the Tayuling mountains just south of the tea district. From Canton and Shanghai dispatches were received to-day from missions which confirm the stories of barbarism. Missionaries in the field in the famine belt have sent word that the famished people are insane from suffering and that rioting is frequent. Soldiers sent into the district have been attacked.

Double Tragedy at Naples.

NAPLES.—The dead bodies of Arturo Cavalli, a famous Italian lawyer, and the wife of Giuseppe Molina, with whom Cavalli was infatuated, lie in their homes to-day, victims of the frenzied anger of the outraged husband, Molina, who shot both to death.

Fallieres Pardons Durand.

PARIS.—President Fallieres has pardoned Durand, the secretary of the Coal Handlers' Union, who was recently sentenced to death for complicity in the murder of a foreman at Havre, a year ago, when a strike was in progress there.

Koppel Aids Physical Research.

BERLIN.—Herr Leopold Koppel, the banker, has donated $175,000 for the erection of a physical chemistry research institute, and will make a further gift of $87,500, extending over the next ten years, for the maintenance of the institute.

German Emperor Better.

BERLIN.—The condition of Emperor William is greatly improved and he has accepted provisionally an invitation to the ball to be given to-morrow evening by the Imperial Chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg.

Mrs. Rockhill Visits Czarina.

ST. PETERSBURG.—The Empress has received in audience Mrs. William M. Rockhill, wife of the American Ambassador, and Miss Rockland.

NEW HARBOR TUG CONTRACT AWARDED

Contracts for a new harbor tug have been awarded by the Boston Towboat Company for service at this port, particularly in docking transatlantic liners. The Richard T. Green Company of Chelsea will construct the hull and Bertelsen & Petersen of East Boston will build the high-pressure engine. The tug is to be of wood, ninety-five feet over all, twenty-two feet beam and eleven feet depth of hold, equipped with a steam steerer and fire pump.

THIEVES FRIGHTENED OFF BY YOUNG GIRL

False key workers, who entered and ransacked the home of William Peters, at No. 398 Broadway, Somerville, were frightened away by the return of fourteen-year-old Theresa Peters from school. The girl telephoned the police, and Lieutenant Carter and Inspector Damery hurried to the house. The thieves succeeded in securing several hundred dollars' worth of jewelry, including a ruby ring surrounded with sixteen small diamonds, the property of Miss Dora B. Peters.

LIGHTSHIP IS REPLACED.

NEW LONDON, Feb. 16.—The tug Concord, with tow, fouled the Bartletts Reef lightship Tuesday night during the snowstorm and cut her down below the water line pretty badly. The lightship was brought into dock here by the lighthouse tender Rogers, where repairs will be made. Relief 20 left port to replace her.

FATHER TIME CHAMP AVIATOR

BY THE CONTEST EDITOR.

One contestant whom the aviation experts seem to have overlooked is Father Time, and he is the champion aviator of them all. Time flies and keeps on flying. His special stunt is endurance. He has been flying ever since he started and is going yet. In the earliest days Father Time was flying. Even the Romans recognized that. "Tempus fugit," said a Roman man-about-town. He spoke truly. "Tempus" was "fugiting" even then. He is still at it.

All which reminds the Contest Editor that Time is flying by in this special February Contest for the FIFTY-THREE prizes to be awarded to the fifty-three candidates polling the most votes BY SUBSCRIPTION during this month of February. Only twelve more days left.

"I know," says the Candidate, "but how about that special offer of cash prizes for the candidates turning in the most votes yesterday, February 15?"

The Contest Editor wishes to say that the winners of the February 15 cash prizes will be announced in the SUNDAY AMERICAN of February 19. Watch for it.

Fifty-three Special Prizes.

Now, in regard to that special offer of fifty-three prizes for polling the most votes during the entire month of February. Read again the conditions and the list of prizes:

These prizes will be given FREE to the fifty-three contestants, irrespective of districts, polling the highest number of votes BY SUBSCRIPTION between February 1st and February 28th inclusive.

The fifty-three February prizes are:

One $600 Piano	$600
One Symphony Grand Graphophone	200
One $150 Diamond Ring	150
Ten $25 Gold Watches	250
Ten Silver Mesh Bags or ten $10 Solid Gold Monogram Rings	100
Ten $5 Sterling Silver Silk Umbrellas	50
Ten $5 Solid Gold Fountain Pens	50
Ten $4 Cameras, 3¼x4¼	40

There is extra inducement for candidates to strive for one of the February special prizes, because all votes BY SUBSCRIPTION turned in on the February contest count, of course, toward boosting the standing in the main contest.

Another reason for getting in all the votes and subscriptions possible in February is that the list of candidates is to be published soon, and every candidate will wish to show as high a standing as possible.

Record for New England.

The main contest—the $35,000 Prize Contest of the AMERICAN, with its 1,000 prizes—is the biggest undertaking of this nature ever offered for the enterprise of Boston and New England people.

The capital prize alone is worth tremendous effort. It consists of an $8,000 house and two lots, situated at Riverton-on-the-Charles. This is an ideal location for a modern home.

But the list of 999 other prizes contains many other fascinating items.

There are seven automobiles, seven motor boats and seven pianos, for instance.

The automobiles are no ordinary machines. They will please an expert motorist. The Overland Automobile, which is offered as one of the prizes in District 4, the State of Maine District, is a splendid car, carefully built and deservedly popular. Some fortunate Maine candidate will be running that car next June.

Send in Photographs.

The motor boats are the latest types in that highly developed line of boat building. Any one of the seven will please the winner of it. One can imagine the fun which the winner of the Camden-Rockland boat, offered in District 2, will have next Summer taking invigorating and delightful trips in the waters of Greater Boston district.

The pianos and all the other prizes are of standard make and are worth all the efforts, energy and hustle you can command.

These prizes are not to be won by the laggards, however. They will become the property of the hustlers, of those who go out and get votes and subscriptions and whose voting strength keeps increasing instead of standing still.

Two more things:

Send in your photographs, plainly and correctly marked.

Follow the rules of the contest. If you have forgotten any of them, read them in the next issue of the Sunday AMERICAN.

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SIXTY BLOODED HORSES BURNED

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 16.—Every building on the grounds of the Gentry & Thomas stock yards, except the office, was destroyed by fire early to-day. Sixty horses, forty mules and a vast quantity of food stored in the barns were burned with a loss of $200,000. The fire broke out in the main barn of the yards and soon spread to the surrounding structures.

Watchman James Bradley was badly burned in fighting the flames. Among the horses burned were many fine trotters sent here for the annual light harness sales.

FIRE DESTROYS THE "MID OCEAN"

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Feb. 16.—The Mid Ocean House on Smutty Nose Island, Isles of Shoals, with its contents, was destroyed by fire early to-day. The house was a thirty-five-room structure and was owned by the Laighton brothers. For the last two years it has been managed by Clarence Caswell.

The blaze, fanned by a fresh northwest wind, soon devoured the building. The few Winter residents of the island were powerless to stay its progress. There are two others houses on the island, the old Haley house and another small dwelling, and it looked as though these were both endangered.

The building and contents were valued at $10,000. The first report of the fire received in this city was from Captain Wells of the Wallis Sands life-saving station, who was able to locate it by the aid of his marine glasses.

DOMINGO PRESIDENT IN FIELD HIMSELF

PUERTA PLATA, Santo Domingo, Feb. 16.—President Simon has taken the field in person and is heading his army against the revolutionists in the North. The rebel strongholds are being burned and scores of rebels executed. Hundreds of the revolutionists have been taken prisoners and will be put to work upon sea wall construction by the government.

A Marvelous Recovery

Milton, Mass., Man Permanently Cured of Terrible Kidney Trouble

C. H. Foster, 180 Thatcher St., Milton, Mass., says: "I ran down so rapidly that I became thin and pale as death. A urinary trouble annoyed me constantly. I had sharp, shooting pains in various parts of my body and I grew tired and languid. I had the kidney secretions examined by a physician, who said I was in bad shape and advised a change of climate. At that time the urine was very dark and unnatural. I used half a dozen boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills. During that time the backache left, appetite improved, weight picked up twenty pounds and I felt well and strong. The trouble never returned."

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Imported Embroidered Chiffon Gown	225.00	85.00
Lavender Marquisette Model Gown	125.00	65.00
Paris Gown, black chiffon and blue crepe	150.00	65.00
Black Lace Dress, Callot Soeurs model	300.00	125.00
Crepe de Chine Dinner Dresses	58.00	45.00
Old Blue Velvet Gown, by Agnes	175.00	45.00
Paon Blue Velvet Gown, imported	165.00	45.00
Black Velvet Evening Wrap	90.00	45.00
Paris Model Black Emb. Evening Wrap	275.00	95.00
Black Velvet Evening Coat	87.50	55.00
Broadcloth Evening Coats	59.00	25.00
Black Velvet Evening Coat	95.00	65.00
Black Velvet Coat, imported model	225.00	125.00
Long Black Coat	85.00	45.00
Embroidered Pongee Coat	50.00	25.00
Hand Embroidered Voile Suit	135.00	35.00
Three-Piece Voile Suit, embroidered	250.00	75.00
Black Diagonal Dress Suit	110.00	35.00
Brown Corduroy Suit	55.00	22.50
Cheviot and Broadcloth Tailored Suits	48.00	27.50
Navy Taffeta Silk Suit	85.00	35.00
Imported Dress Suit	95.00	45.00
Tailored Linen Waists	6.00	3.00
Hand-Made Handkerchief Linen Waist	45.00	16.50
Model Crepon Waist	48.00	22.50
Cream Net Waists	13.50	6.75
White Chiffon Waist, Black Beaded Trimming	26.00	16.50
Alice Blue Novelty Chiffon Waist, Dutch Neck	23.50	13.50
Lace Pat'n Brocaded Cachemire de Soie	100.00	45.00
Dress Pat'n H'd Paint. Embossed Velvet	175.00	65.00
Dress Pattern Satin Chiffon	50.00	25.00
Dress Pattern Novelty Satin in blue	90.00	35.00
Chiffon Robe Dress Pattern	100.00	45.00
Satin Robe Dress Pattern, emb. in silver	135.00	75.00
Double Width French Moire, yard	3.00	.95
Dress Pattern Crepe Faconne	31.50	13.50
Dress Pattern Calcium Crepe	22.00	10.00
Lyons Brocade Black Satin Dress Pattern	65.00	32.50
Black Satin Faced Pongee, 44-in., yard	3.00	1.50
Dress Pattern French Brocade Cachemire de Soie	75.00	35.00
Dress Pattern Satin Pongee	18.00	9.00
Dress Pattern French Camels' Hair	28.00	12.00
Dress Pattern London Suiting	25.00	12.50
Dress Pattern London Mixed Suiting	26.00	13.00
Dress Pattern Scotch Homespun	21.50	9.00
Dress Pattern Paris Novelties	15.00	6.50
White French Voile, yard	1.50	.95
Silk Warp German Henrietta, yard	2.00	1.00
Dress Patterns Black French Suitings	15.00	5.50
Dress Patterns French Striped Prunella	20.00	10.00
Imported French Black Dress Goods, yard	2.50	.95
French Silk Warp Henrietta, black, yard	2.00	1.00

	Value	Price
Black Austrian Broadcloth, yard	3.50	2.50
Real Bruges Duchesse Lace Bridal Robe	1000.00	650.00
Hand-Emb. Silk Eolienne Robes, from Paris	55.00	32.50
Irish Lace Coat, full length	250.00	125.00
Blue Silk Model Coat	150.00	48.00
White Lace and Embroidered Net Coat	50.00	25.00
French Linen and Batiste H'd-Emb. Robes	25.00	12.50
Silver Embroidered Tunic	125.00	38.00
Pearl and Crystal Robe	125.00	48.00
Gold Net Embroidered Coat	250.00	65.00
Emerald Chiffon Beaded Tunic	75.00	32.50
Sphinx Bugle Trimmed Robe	45.00	25.00
Ombre Sequin Robe, with silver	65.00	25.00
Pearl Trimmed Chiffon Tunic	68.00	32.50
Helio Beaded Black Chiffon Robe	45.00	22.50
Black Spangled Robe	22.50	12.50
Hand-Embroidered Batiste Robe	17.50	9.50
[illegible] Silver Flounce, yard	22.50	12.50
Old Gold Embroidered Net Band, yard	6.50	2.75
Gold Embroidered Net [illegible]	7.50	3.50
Real English Thread Lace, yard	3.50	1.75
Real Brussels Point Edge, yard	75.00	35.00
Real Brussels Point Edge, yard	30.00	15.00
Real Point Applique Edge, 6-in., yard	3.75	1.50
Real Duchesse Edge, yard	7.50	4.50
French Batiste Embroidered Edge, yard	4.50	1.95
French Batiste Edge, eyelet embroidery, yard	4.50	2.25
St. Gall Venise Emb. Flouncing, yard	3.75	1.95
St. Gall Embroidered Bands, yard	1.25	.65
Metal and Silk Embroidered Band, yd	4.50	1.95
Crystal and Bead 15-inch Band, yd	22.50	12.50
Rose Bugle Bead Band, yd	6.75	3.95
Hand-Embroidered Filet Band in tinsel, yd	6.50	2.95
Black and White Bead Band	6.50	3.95
Persian Embroidered Net Band, yd	15.00	4.95
42-inch Beaded Net Flounce, yd	20.00	8.50
Jet and Rhinestone Trimming, yd	2.50	.65
White Chantilly Galoon, yd	3.00	1.50
White Beaded Band, yd	2.75	1.75
White Crystal Bead Band, yd	2.50	1.45
Taffeta Chiffon, yd	3.50	1.25
Persian Embroidered Net, yd	5.50	2.95
Colored Tosca Net, yd	1.50	.95
Metal Spot Net, yd	2.00	.95
Satin Cord Embroidered Net, yd	5.00	.95
Gold Spot Mousselaine, yd	3.50	.95
White Mousseline de Soie, yd	1.00	.45
Evening Scarf, cut velvet figure	45.00	12.50
Fringed Satin Scarf, old rose	40.00	19.50
Navy Beaded Scarf	9.50	4.95
French Print Persian Scarf	16.50	8.50
12-inch Embroidered Bands, yard	.85	.65
St. Gall Galons, yard	.37½	.25
27-inch Embroidered Flounce, yard	1.25	.75
27-inch St. Gall Flouncings, yard	3.50	2.25

Hartford Saxony Rugs

Much Below regular prices

Chandler & Co. have just received a large assortment of the discontinued patterns of the famous Hartford Saxony Rugs. *They are to be sold at about wholesale prices.*

Saxony Rugs are always sold at a fixed price, but owing to this large purchase Chandler & Co. were able to make arrangements with a Hartford Agent to advertise and sell these rugs *at much less than the regular retail prices.*

Hartford Saxony Rugs are the foremost and most durable of all American-made rugs. They are heavy with a rich deep pile, in true reproductions of the finest Oriental designs.

Among the discontinued patterns are rich Persian Gorevan Designs, Antique Mahal Patterns, the old Oriental Feraghan Designs, two-tone green and tobacco-brown colorings, Camels Hair Designs, old Bokhara browns, Daghestan Patterns in antique colorings, and numerous other beautiful Patterns, making a large assortment from which to choose.

	Regular Price	Sale Price
Hartford Saxony Rugs 9x12	50.00	35.00
Hartford Saxony Rugs 8.3x10.6	47.50	32.50
Hartford Saxony Rugs 6x9	32.50	22.75
Hartford Saxony Rugs 4.6x7.6	20.00	14.75
Hartford Saxony Rugs 3x6	10.00	5.50
Hartford Saxony Rugs 3x5.3	9.00	5.50
Hartford Saxony Rugs 2.3x4.6	5.75	3.75

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Every Lot Must Be Automatically Reduced If It Doesn't Sell Out Within 2 Weeks

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5.00 Reward for any instance where the Automatic Price Reductions are Not Taken as They Should Be.

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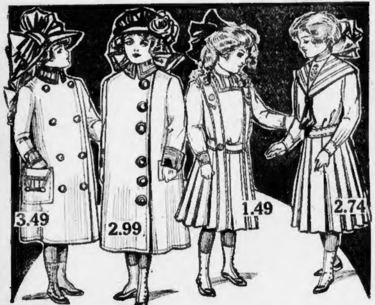
All Received Last Week from a House Selling by Catalog Only and on Sale

At ½ Catalog Prices and Less



Girls' Coats, 3 styles, cheviot, kersey, chinchilla, all button high. Catalog Prices 6.98 and 7.48,	Girls' Coats, 4 styles, cheviot or kersey, single or double-breasted, some lined throughout with all wool flannel. Catalog Prices 5.98 and 6.98.	Girls' Dresses, tartan plaid, galatea, and repp. Catalog Price 2.98,	Girls' All-Wool Serge Sailor Suits, one-pc. Sailor Dresses, Cashmere Dresses. Catalog Prices 5.48 and 5.98.
3.49	2.99	1.49	2.74

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1.19 Splendid assortment of handsome little models, high or Dutch neck, some beautifully trimmed with insertion and tucks, others elaborately trimmed with fine hamburg. Very full skirts, finished with deep hem; very fine material; sizes 6 to 14 years. Don't judge these dresses by the price. The price is the only thing cheap about them; they must therefore be seen to be appreciated.

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School Shoes, in Gun Metal, Vici Kid and Patent Colt. Also Gun Metal High-Cut Storm Shoes in button or lace.

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Boys' and Youths' Blucher style, kangaroo or box calf finish; an excellent school shoe.

Sizes 9 to 13 .... 1.23
Sizes 1 to 5½ 1.49

Boys' $2.50 Shoes . . 1.98

Genuine Box Calf Blucher style, ½ double sole, foot form last.

69c Underwear . . 39c

Men's Heavy Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, slightly imperfect.

17c Lisle Hose . . 7c

Men's Black Mercerized Seamless Half Hose, fast color, slightly imperfect.

69c Nightgowns . . 49c

Men's Heavy Flannelette Night Gowns, gray and white stripe, regular sizes.

50c Silk Hose . . . 19c

Men's Pure Silk, large assortment of colors, slightly imperfect.

PRINCESS IS SEEING BOSTON

Boston is being overlooked by the Princess Vilma Lwoff Parlarghy to day. With Mrs. John L. Gardner she inspects the Art Museum and later in the day is the guest of Mrs. Gardner at the latter's Fenway Palace, where she will spend several hours in admiring the paintings, sculptures and art objects her hostess, as noted as herself in the art world, has gathered abroad. Trips to Harvard University and the Navy Yard also are in the Parlarghy itinerary for to-day.

Boston society welcomed the Princess last night. She dined with Dr. and Mrs. Percival Lowell at their home on West Cedar street, those present, besides the hosts, being Dr. and Mrs. Francis Sedgwick Watson, M. M. Gaugengigl and Miss Amy Lowell in addition to the attaches of the Princess.

After dinner the party went to the opera as guests of Mrs. Gardner, whose box was the attraction of the evening when the presence of the Princess became known.

Amid all her other activities to-day the Princess may be called on by a delegation from the Anti-Cigarette League, members of which are shocked by the stories of clouds of cigarette smoke issuing from her fair lips. Like the majority of the women in the higher circles of continental Europe, the Princess smokes and doesn't care who knows it.

A reception in honor of Princess Parlaghy is to be held at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Theodore Chickering Williams, No. 90 Mount Vernon street, to-morrow, from 5 to 7. Dr. Charles W. Eliot, President Lowell of Harvard and many men and women representing Boston's culture, have been invited.

WINSOME WINNIE—She'll meet you Sunday morning in the City Life Section of the Sunday AMERICAN.

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$ 5.50 Boys' Suits now	$ 3.98
$ 4.00 Boys' Overcoats now	$ 2.98
$ 6.00 Boys' Overcoats now	$ 3.98

Ladies' and Girls' Dept.

$12.00 Suits now	$ 6.98
$15.00 Suits now	$ 9.98
$18.00 Suits now	$12.98
$ 8.00 Coats now	$ 4.50
$12.00 Coats now	$ 7.00
$20.00 Coats now	$14.50
$ 5.00 Coney Fur Sets now	$ 2.98
$10.00 Opossum Fur Sets now	$ 6.50
$30.00 Fox Sets now	$16.50
$15.00 Silk Dresses now	$ 9.98
$18.00 Silk Dresses now	$12.98
$ 5.00 Girls' Coats now	$ 2.98
$10.00 Girls' Coats now	$ 5.98

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"RICHEST GIRL IN DENVER" BRIDE OF NEW YORK BANKER

Mrs. Robert L. Livingstone, formerly Miss Marie Sheedy, daughter of millionaire mining man.

RARE GIFTS FOR HEIRESS BRIDE

DENVER, Feb. 16.—Miss Marie Sheedy, the "richest girl in Denver," whose father is Dennis Sheedy, the millionaire mining man, has become the bride of Robert L. Livingston of New York. The wedding was at the Sheedy residence on Grant avenue, the Rev. M. F. Burke of St. Louis officiating.

Among the gifts to Miss Sheedy by her father were a residence in New York and a magnificent rope of pearls. Miss Florence Sheedy was the maid of honor, and Archibald Barkile of Philadelphia was the best man. Mr. and Mrs. Livingston left for a three months' tour of Europe and will live in New York when they return.

Mrs. Sheedy and Miss Marie returned from New York only a few day ago, having been at the Hotel Plaza there for some time. Mr. Sheedy is one of the mining millionaires who has been opposed to the Guggenheim interests, and had been closely connected in busines with the Kountze banking house, in which Mr. Livingston is a partner.

Mr. Livingston is a widower, his first wife having been a Miss Kountze. She died almost seven years ago. He first met Miss Sheedy on the Mauretania coming home from Europe, and later in New York at social affairs.

Mrs. Livingston is a little more than twenty years old.

REACH AGREEMENT ON STADIUM BRIDGE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—An agreement has been reached on the Stadium bridge proposed over the Charles River at Boston and authorized in a bill which has passed the House and the Senate, but about the terms of which there has been some disagreement. It therefore went to conference and E. R. Champlin and Samuel Powers, the latter representing protesting property owners, agreed that property owners shall be indemnified in case the bridge occasions loss to them. The agreement will be incorporated in the bridge bill.

TWINS CELEBRATE 70TH BIRTHDAY

MILFORD, N. H., Feb. 16.—Dodge and George Hartshorn, who it is believed are the oldest twins in New Hampshire, have celebrated their seventieth birthday, receiving congratulations from hosts of friends. George tills a large farm just outside the town, while Dodge resides on Nashua street.

DENIES ARNOLD GEMS ARE HERE

Following the story that Dorothy Arnold, the New York missing heiress, received sixty-five dollars on jewelry pawned in Boston in September, comes dispatches from New York stating that the girl's brother, John W. Arnold, and his father deny that they have authentic information to that effect. It was reported that she pawned diamond rings. Her brother denies that she had any.

Boston detectives are busy to-day working on a clue that a young woman who registered at the Quincy House two weeks ago as Miss Dorothy Phelps was none other than Miss Arnold. She stayed for ten days and was called upon at intervals by a man of evident refinement. The young woman seemed to have plenty of funds.

Griscom Out of Sight.

There is considerable mystery concerning the whereabouts of George S. Griscom, Jr., who spent a clandestine visit to Boston with Miss Arnold. His parents are at the Chalfonte in Atlantic City, but since Saturday no reporter has been able to see the son. O'Mara declares, however, that Griscom has not fled from Atlantic City.

The story of the pawned jewels, if true, is regarded by the police as evidence that, while Griscom engaged in advance the room occupied by Miss Arnold at the Lenox in Boston last September, he did not pay the bill when she left. It is said that on September 23, the day before Miss Arnold's bill at the Lenox was paid, and the day before Griscom paid his at the Essex, Miss Arnold went to the Collateral Loan Company on Boylston street and pawned jewelry valued at $500 for $65.

Visited Sister's Chum.

In the latter part of December, when John W. Arnold, eldest brother of the missing girl, came to Boston to see Miss Arnold's classmate from Bryn Mawr, who is living in Newton, and with whom the Arnold family supposed she was visiting during the week she was in Boston in September, he conceived the idea, after he found out how his sister had deceived her family, that perhaps she had here disposed of the watch, rings and jewelry which had been missed after her return from the Boston visit, and for which Dorothy never had satisfactorily accounted.

When the brother, with his first direct evidence of a clandestine meeting between Dorothy and Griscom in his possession, hurried home and engaged passage for himself and mother on a steamship which would enable them to reach Florence, Italy, in the shortest possible time and bring him face to face with Griscom, he therefore directed that one of the private detectives who was then at work on the case should come to Boston and work the jewelry clew.

The detective arrived either late in December or early in January and applied to Deputy Superintendent William B. Watts of the Police Department, who is in charge of the detective bureau. Deputy Watts placed all the facilities of his office at the disposal of the detective, and Inspector Michael Shields, who is assigned to pawnshop work in the South End, was detailed to help the New York man.

Every article pledged in Boston with a licensed pawnbroker has to be reported to police headquarters, and a search of the records for September was begun. Among the reports for September 23, Shields found one from the Collateral Loan, showing that a watch and chain, two diamond rings and a pair of bracelets had been pawned that day, and Shields and the detective visited the company's office and were shown the articles. They answered the description given by the Arnold family of the jewelry missing from Dorothy's collection.

GIRLS WHO WORK SHOULD KWOW THIS

Writing on beauty topics for the San Francisco Bulletin, Mrs. Mae Martyn says: "Liquid preparations are fast supplanting face powders, as it is found their continued use has a tendency to clog the pores, causing blackheads and other blemishes.

"I find," she says, "when face powders are tabooed and a liquid is used, the muddy condition soon disappears and the skin takes on a pink glow of health.

"One of the best and most popular lotions is made by dissolving 4 ounces of spurmax in ½ pint hot water, then adding 2 teaspoonfuls glycerine.

"This is much easier to apply than powder, and so simple and inexpensive to make that every woman should have it on her dressing table, while its use will be found invaluable for rough or blotchy skins."

Loose Leaf

Books of every description in stock. We also make to order for all lines of business. Twinlock Headquarters.

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Annual Clearance Sale

OIL CLOTHS

Odd Rolls Left from the Year's Business

Marked at ⅓ to ½ Reduction

Lot No. 1 — Extra heavy oil cloth, better than grade No. 1, capable of withstanding severe wear; in a variety of up-to-date patterns; a regular 65c quality. A square yard....... 37½c

Lot No. 2 — A heavy oil cloth, regularly listed and designated as grade No. 1; in geometrical straw matting and floral designs, suitable for kitchen, hall or chamber; 50c value. A square yard....... 33⅓c

Lot No. 3 — A heavy oil cloth with a thoroughly well filled back; usually sold at 40c; shown in the entire range of patterns made in this grade. A square yard....... 22c

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NEW ENGLAND'S GREAT CASH HOUSE

The Great "Lockhart Mill End" Sale

HAS THE RIGHT OF WAY here this week, and we shall make the Friday sa es tributary to this important event in Boston retailing. Friday, with the Three Hour Sales, is always a great trade day in this store, and with the array of values which we have marshalled in the following bulletin, we expect tomorrow to be the Banner Day of the great Mill End Sale. The Mill End Sale includ s but one Friday. Be on hand.

Photo Studio

We make the following exceptional offer for Friday of this week. We will give one-half doz. of our regular $5.00 a doz. Photos, in the carbon or sepia finish, mounted in a most beautiful 7x10 folder fo $1.00. Only 6 to a customer. 6 for 1.00

This Offer is for A.M. and P.M.

Fibre Rugs

Drummers' samples of Fibre Rugs. They represent one-half of a rug, or 36x72 size. The whole rugs sell for 98c. For 3 hours we will sell this one-half rug at 15c. An exceptional bargain. No mail orders filled. 15c

This Offer is for P. M. Only.

FROM 9 TILL 12 | DOUBLE LEGAL STAMPS FORENOONS | FROM 2 TILL 5

Bed Outfits Fancy white enamel bed, with heavy brass top rails, husks and spindles, an all iron National spring and a mattress with white cotton top and bottom. A $17.50 outfit, complete, for 11.98

Mattresses Made in layers of white felt and cashmere hair. Regular thickness and weight and blue and white ticking. All sizes. 9 to 12 only, at 5.50

Sliding Couches The kind that separates. All steel frame, with National spring top. Sold complete with combination white cotton mattresses and pillows, for 3 hours only, at 7.50

Oil Cloths 2 yards wide, subject to manufacturer's slight imperfections. Regular 30c value, for 3 hours at 19c per square yard 19c

Stair Enamel 15 and 18 inches wide, for 3 hours at 6c and 7c a yard

Dress Goods 50-inch All Wool Panamas, perfect goods, exceptional value. In the light and dark colors, $1.00 value. Just for the 3 hours, Mill End price 59c

Remnants of Silks All classes and kinds, worth up to 59c and 69c a yard. Lengths from 1 yard. Marked at two prices only for Mill End sale .... 25c and 39c

Union Suits Women's 59c Jersey ribbed, medium weight Union Suits, with slight imperfections. 3-hour price 27c per suit 27c

Hosiery Women's 50c Thread Silk Boot Hose, mercerized lisle top. Sold as seconds, in black only, at 24c per pair 24c

Misses' 25c Lisle Thread Hose, 1x1 ribbed, black only, at, per pair .. 12½c

Toy Furniture Sideboards, chiffoniers, china cabinets, 15 inches high, finely finished. Regular 75c articles, for 39c

Men's Suits Young Men's long-pant Suits in gray worsted effects, sizes 10 to 19. Worth $5.00, three hours only, Mill End Price 2.95

Trousers Men's Working Trousers in gray mixtures, sizes 31 to 40 .. mixtures, sizes 31 to 40 waist. $1.49 value, Mill End price 79c

Neckwear Men's All Silk Scarfs, reversible and open end Four-in-Hands. New spring patterns at 14c each 14c

Half Hose Men's 25c silk lisle Half Hose, high spliced heels and double soles, black and all the new Spring colors. 3-hour price, per pair.. 11c

Underwear Men's 50c Jersey ribbed Egyptian Shirts and Drawers. As are, at, each 25c

Sweaters Men's, Boys' and Children's Sweater Coats, odd lots. Values up to $1.00. In basement annex at 25c each ... 25c

(No Mail Orders)

Groceries

Pure Raspberry or Strawberry Jams. Regular 25c jar, at 20c

York State cream cheese, regularly 21c lb., at .. 18c

Fancy Selected Eggs. Regular price 34c dozen 22c

Fancy Hand Picked New York Beans. Regular at 12c quart 9c

National Biscuit Baby lunch. Regular at 12c lb 9c

Silver Brand Farina. Handsome teaspoon in every package. Regular 15c packages, 2 for 25c

Mammoth Queen Olives. Regular 39c bottle .. 29c

Fancy California Asparagus. Regular 35c tin, at 24c

Soda Crystal Soap. Regular 5c bars. 5 for 16c

Pork and Beans, large can. Regular 15c can, at 11c

Thompson's Seedless Raisins. Regular price 12c lb., at 9c

Van Camp's Tomato Catsup, large size. Regular 20c bottle, at 14c

Dining Chairs Quartered Oak, box frame, claw feet, banister back; the seats upholstered with genuine leather. Value $3.50; 3 hour price, 1.90

Dressers Solid oak, 38-inch base, 14x24-inch bevel mirror; an exceptionally well made case. Value $9.50; 3 hour sale price 6.95

Mission Rockers Chair or Rocker made of selected oak, mission design, weathered finish. The seats are upholstered with Spanish leatherette. Value $4.50. Three-hour price 2.50

Tea Pots Imported fireproof Tea Pots in the popular Japanese green sedge ware; regular price 39c. Mill End price .. 19c

Bowls Decorated semi-porcelain Oyster Bowls, different sizes; regular price 10c to 15c each. Mill End price 5c

Fountain Pen A very handsome, large, fancy chased rubber holder and cap, with 14 K gold plated bands and pen. Regular retail price $1.00 each, for 3 hours, each 43c

Box Paper A regular 50c box with handsome decorated cover, containing 48 sheets of cloth finished paper and envelopes to match. One of the best stationery values ever offered in Boston, at 23c

Petticoats Ladies' long white Petticoats, deep flounce, hemstitched tucks, deep embroidered edge, full lengths. Mill End price 29c

Black Hyde-Grade Petticoats, extra good material, full lengths and width, dainty tailored and dressy effects. Values up to 79c. Mill End price 47c

Waists Tailored Madras and Linon Waists, button front. Value 49c. Mill End price at 29c

Colored Soisette Waists in very dainty shades of pink, light blue and cream Value $1.00. Mill End price 79c

Wrappers Of heavy percale, braid trimmed waist and flounced skirt. Mill End price 55c

Handkerchiefs Women's white hemstitched with pretty embroidered corner in a large assortment of patterns. Value 5c each. Choice ...... 3 for 10c

Gloves Ladies' black silk taffeta, 16-button length, mousquetaire wrist, all sizes. 75c value, for 39c a pair 39c

Ladies' Neckwear Embroidered white laundered Linen Collars in eyelet, polka dot and solid designs of embroidery. 12½c value, for 8c each 8c

Luxura Silk 30 pieces of Luxura Silk, 32 inches wide, practically all colors. Only 12 yards to a customer, and no mail orders filled. Regularly sold at 25c a yard. For 3 hours 12½c

Drug Store

Powdered Borax, guaranteed pure, in packages of one pound 7c

"Erecto" Shoulder Brace, for men, women and children. 75c value, at 42c

White Cross Foot Powder, trial size cans. ... 4c

Almond Meal, for softening and whitening the hands. 50c size 19c

Gondola Soap, large cake of a very fine toilet soap 3c

Castor Lax, castor oil in powder form, absolutely tasteless. 25c package, at 11c

Fish Market

We receive all our Fish every morning direct from the boats, therefore guaranteeing them strictly fresh.

Shore Haddock, lb 5c

Shore Cod, lb 6c

Eastern Shore Halibut (sliced), lb 12½c

Native Smelts 2 lbs. for 25c

Fancy Large Fresh Herring 3 for 10c

Fancy Salmon, lb 15c

Finnan Haddie, lb 8c

Table Damask 50c fine mercerized Table Damask, 60 inches wide, in handsome new patterns. Shows up like a 75c quality of linen damask. For 3 hours, per yard 37c

Nainsook 25c quality of fine Nainsook, 36 inches wide, in lengths of 2 to 8 yards and an extra fine quality. For 3 hours at 7½c a yard 7½c

Children's Rompers Sizes 2 to 5 years, pink and blue checks. Regular price 29c. Mill End price 19c

Women's Coats Women's long black Coats, long roll shawl collar, others collarless style, mostly small sizes $2.00 value. Mill End price 88c

Women's and Misses' black Kersey Coats, 34-inch length, well tailored and durably lined. $4.00 value. Mill End price 2.59

Night Robes Of flannelette in pink, blue and white stripes, extra well made, full sizes, neat Hubbard yoke. Mill End price 39c

(No Mail Orders)

Corsets Odds and ends, some with two pairs of hose supporters, broken sizes. Come early and be one of the lucky ones, at the Mill End price of 25c

(No Mail Orders)

Women's Footwear Oxfords and Slippers, $2.00 and $2.50 values, at 1.29

Women's Velvet Boots. Special bargain at 1.85

Velvet Bags The latest "Wishbone" shape, gilt frame, in good quality of black velvet. Cord handle. Value 75c each, for 3 hours 19c

Ribbon Mill Ends All silk, 4, 5 and 6 inches wide, mostly fancies, in nearly all colors. Value up to 25c a yard, at 12c

(No Mail Orders)

Lace Curtains Double thread weaves in novelty and allover patterns, 54 inches wide, white and Arab. Value $1.25 a pair, at 89c

Window Shades Tinted opaque shades, mounted on good strong rollers. Manufacturer's imperfect 25c shades, each ... 12½c

(No Mail or Telephone Orders)

Couch Covers In red and green stripes, reversible weaves, full size. Value $1.25 each 89c

Stamped Belts Good quality white belting, stamped in, ready to embroider. Value 12½c each, at 7c

Books Webster's Imperial Dictionary, 1909 edition, thoroughly revised and greatly enlarged and improved. Contains several thousand illustrations, colored plates and tables. Substantially bound in sheepskin. Regular price $8.00, at 5.79

Basement

Wash Tubs, made of galvanized iron, which will not rust. Wringer attachment and drop handles, 24-inch size, 98c value, at 69c

Ash Barrels, very heavy galvanized iron, with triple V shape ribs, 18-inch, $2.69 value, for 3 hours 2.29

Dish Pans, Stransky ware, blue, white and Carrara, 17-quart size. Worth 98c, at 59c

Monarch Hand Lamp, brass finish, complete, 39c value, at 29c

Fruit Section

Sweet Florida Oranges. Regular price 25c dozen, at 18c

Two dozen 35c

Extra large, juicy seedless Oranges. Regular price 40c dozen, at 28c

Fresh Layer Figs. Regular price 18c. 2 lbs. 25c

Friday Chocolates The constantly increasing sale of these chocolates is a proof of their popularity. They are fresh from our factory, made from the purest material obtainable and equal in quality to those sold for 35c a pound elsewhere. Sold by us only on Fridays, in pound boxes. Price .. 19c

Pillow Tops Lithograph Pillow Tops, new patterns, beautifully colored. Value 25c each 15c

Casement Cloth 36 and 40 inches wide, in floral and stained glass patterns, beautiful color combinations. Value 15c a yard 10c

Sofa Pillows 22-inch size, well filled with good quality of silk floss, light and fluffy like down. Value 45c each 29c

Sash Curtains Made of striped muslin, good washable quality, made ready to hang. Value 15c a pair 9c

Buffets Solid Oak Buffets, 42-inch base; regulation drawer arrangement; one drawer lined for silver. The top is fitted with a bevel edge French mirror. Value $18.00. 3-hour price, 10.95

Springs All bronzed, steel frame, with a National fabric top. Made in all sizes for wooden or metal beds. From 2 to 5 only, at 2.25

Mattresses A combination mattress, 6 inches thick, with white cotton top and bottom and excelsior and fibre centre. Heavy ticking in fancy stripe. All sizes, at 3.75

Couch Cots Bronzed, all iron frame couch, 30 inches wide, with a National wire top and casters, and mattress with white cotton top and bottom, for 3.98

Parlor Tables Quartered oak or imitation of mahogany, 24-inch top, large undershelf and French legs. They are hard polished. Regular price $3.98; 3-hour price 2.50

Chiffonier Solid oak Chiffoniers, 33 inches wide, with 5 deep drawers and large beveledge mirror. Regular $9.50 value 5.95

Petticoats Flannelette Petticoats in pink, blue and white stripes, full size, French band; 25 and 31 lengths. Mill End price 15c

Corsets Extra fine quality, long lengths, well boned, two pairs of hose supporters, lace edge, ribbon drawn, all sizes. Mill End price 15c

(No Mail Orders)

Overcoats Boys' Russian Overcoats, odd lots, our $1.98 table, sizes 3 to 7. Three hours only, Mill End price 1.60

Children's Suits Bloomer Suits of striped galatean cloth, sizes 2 to 5 years. Regular 59c value. Mill End price .. 39c

Girls' Dresses Of plaid gingham, in a beautiful assortment of colorings; sizes 6 to 14 years. Regular value $1.49. Mill End price 95c

Women's Suits Women's and Misses' Tailored Suits, odd lots; various styles and materials. Values up to $7.50. Mill End price 3.00

Skirts Women's Black Walking Skirts, plaited styles, trimmed with bands of satin. $1.50 value. Mill End price 75c

Silks Liberty Satins and Peau de Cygne, in most all the light and dark colors. Values up to 49c a yard. Price for Mill End sale 33c

Fruit Section

Sweet Florida Oranges. Regular price 25c dozen, at 18c

Two dozen 35c

Extra large, juicy seedless oranges. Regular price 40c dozen, at 28c

Fresh Layer Figs. Regular price 18c. 2 lbs. 25c

Market Sundries

Fresh Young Pig Pork by strip, lb 13c

Fresh Young Lamb Hindquarters, lb 12½c

Fresh Young Lamb Forequarters, lb 9c

First Cuts of Prime Beef to Roast, lb 15c

Second Cuts of Prime Beef to Roast, lb. 12½c

Choice Cuts of Sirloin to Roast, lb 18c

Fresh Killed Fowl, lb., 16c

Home-made German Frankforts (delicious), lb. 12½c

Drawers 25 dozen of the famous "Chic" Drawers, every one bears the "Chic" label and Consumers' League stamp. Just this one lot at the Mill End price of 12½c

Fancy Belts Beautiful design in gilt and silver; also plain elastic in black, navy, gray, green, etc. All with handsome two-piece buckles in gilt and silver finish. Value 50c each 23c

Ribbon Remnants 1½ inches wide, all silk, nearly all kinds, all colors. Just a clean up, at 3c per yard 3c

(No Mail Orders)

Children's Boots In all sizes up to 11. $1.00 and $1.25 values, at 69c

Boys' School Shoes All sizes to 5½. Special at 97c

Women's Shoes Party Slippers and Ties, all leathers, factory lot. $2.00 and $3.00 values, at 1.65

Dress Goods 50-inch Mohair Diagonal Remnants, from 2 to 8 yard lengths; also Panama. Not a piece worth less than 59c and upwards to 79c a yard. Mill End price 38c

Half Hose Men's 35c Silk Lisle Half Hose, plain and fancy colors. New spring goods, 15c per pair 15c

Underwear Men's 50c Underwear, heavy Jaeger fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers, as are, at 33c per garment 33c

Half Hose Men's 50c pure thread silk Half Hose, black and colors, at 24c per pair 21c

Union Suits Men's 1.00 to 2.00 Union Suits, sample lot, in light, medium and heavy weights, at 54c per suit 54c

(No Mail Orders)

Boys' Suits Blue Serge Knicker Suits in sizes 7 to 16. Made to sell for $3; Mill End price 1.79

Boys' Suits 50 dozen Wool Knickers in blue, gray and brown mixtures, sizes 6 to 16. Worth 59c. Mill End price 37c

Overcoats Men's and Young Men's Auto-collar Overcoats, taken from our $7.50 stock; odd lots; all sizes. Mill End price 3.89

Hockey Caps 25 dozen Hockey Caps, combination and plain colors. Worth 59c. Mill End price 29c

Drug Store

Noisette Shaving Cream; 25c size, aluminum package 11c

Peroxide Hydrogen, one pound bottle 14c

Absorbent Cotton Waste, one pound rolls 17c

Toilet Soap, Maxine Elliott, high grade of soap, exquisitely perfumed. 10c cakes 6c

Bath Powder, highly perfumed, large bottle; regular price 50c 19c

Ther-ox, a dry shampoo 58c

Powdered Orris Root, one-half lb. packages 14c

Groceries

Quaker Toasted Corn Flakes. Regular 10c package, at 6c

Sawyer's Crystal Bluing, 16-oz. size. Regular 15c bottle, at 9c

Loose Starch. Regular price 6c lb. 4 lbs. for 15c

Fancy Sliced Hawaiian Pineapple. Regular 18c can, at 14c

National Biscuit Co.'s Graham Crackers. Regular 10c packages, 2 for 13c

Dehydrated Vegetables and Fruits. Purest of pure foods. Special prices 9c and 14c

Golden Tree Syrup in decanters. Regular at 15c 12c

Ungraded Caliornia Prunes. Regular price 13c lb., at 10c

Fancy Selected Eggs. Regular 34c dozen, at 22c

Bulk Peanut Butter. Regular price 15c lb., at 11c

Fancy Canned Apricots, large can. Regular 20c can, at 14c

Imported French Sardines in pure olive oil. Regular 12c tins, 2 for 19c

Rubber Mats Finished in light color, size 14x32. 45c value, at, each ... 29c

(No Mail Orders)

Mitre Mats Made from Axminster and Wilton carpets, various sizes. $1.25 goods, at, each 79c

(No Mail Orders)

Cream Pitcher 200 China Cream Pitchers, decorated in several floral designs; regular price 12c. Mill End price 5c

Syrups Decorated Syrup Jugs with metal covers, full size; regular price 29c. Mill End price 15c

Underwear Women's 25c Jersey ribbed, shaped Vests, high neck, long and short sleeves, at 15c each 15c

Hosiery Women's $1.00 pure thread Silk Hose, black only, full fashioned and strictly first quality. Three-hour price 49c per pair 49c

Women's 12½c two-thread fast black maco Cotton Hose. Sold as are, at 7c per pair 7c

Handkerchiefs Men's plain white hemstitched, good quality, full size. Value 5c each, choice, 6 for 19c

Embroideries Cambric embroidered Edges, Insertions and Bands in a large assortment of manufacturer's short lengths. 12½c value, for 9c a yard 9c

Gloves A broken assortment of 1-clasp P. K. and 2-clasp Kid Gloves; tans, browns and grays. $1.00 value, for 69c

Wash Goods 25c to 35c fast colored Wash Goods; several different patterns and weaves in the famous oxidized and "Kolorfast" cloths. For 3 hours, per yard 12½c

Pillow Cases $1.49 Irish embroidered Pillow Cases, with or without your initial. We could not get enough of this same goods at Christmas time, at $1.49 a pair. For 3 hours, per pair 98c

Linen Crash 12½c All Linen Crash, very heavy and absorbent, in lengths of 1 to 8 yards. We have only a limited quantity to sell at this price. For 3 hours at 7½c a yard, 7½c

Toy Tea Sets 5-piece imitation cut glass, also 5-piece glass water sets. Regular 25c value 12c

Books The Fashionable Adventures of Joshua Craig, by David Graham Phillips. This is the book that is supposed to have been indirectly the cause for his murder. Nicely bound, illustrated edition 12c

Soiled Waists In dainty batiste and fancy lawns in a variety of styles, values up to $2.00, for 50c

(No Mail Orders)

Flannel Waists In pretty colored stripes and pipings to match, value $1.25. Mill End price 79c

Short Kimonos Of flannelette and lawn finished with scalloped edge. Mill End price 15c

Long Kimonos Of lawn in pretty stripes and figures, with lock-stitched edge. Mill End price 25c

Corset Covers French style, good material, full size, dainty embroidered edge. At the Mill End price of 11c

Basement

Fibre Water Pails, regular price 30c, for 3 hours only, at 25c

Berlin Kettles, gray enamelled ware, 5-quart size, with tin covers, 34c value, at 25c

Quaker Wash Boards, regular price 39c, for 3 hours only, at 21c

Miller's No. 2 Nickel Lamp with centre draught burner, complete with white shade, $1.49 value, at 1.19

Friday Chocolates The constantly increasing sale of these chocolates is proof of their popularity. They are fresh from our factory, made from the purest material obtainable and equal in quality to those sold for 35c a pound elsewhere. Sold by us only on Fridays, in pound boxes. Price 19c

IRISH HOME RULE PLAN OUTLINED IN COMMONS

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too much to hope that the reign of the present King will be made glorious by the opening by the sovereign of a parliament of a friendly and reconciled Irish nation."

In the debate which followed Walter Long, a Unionist member, declared that if home rule were forced upon the minority in Ireland such severe measures would follow "as would produce something akin to civil war."

Liberals Keep Faith.

The action of the ministry in placing its Irish policy before the country so early in the session has caused a sensation throughout Great Britain and Ireland. A Home Rule bill was expected, but not at this stage of the life of the Parliament just elected.

From the tone of the Prime Minister's opening statement it is plain that it is his purpose and that of his colleagues of the cabinet to keep perfect faith with the Irish leaders on the great issue of Irish autonomy.

When the last Parliament was dissolved and Premier Asquith appealed to the country for a fresh mandate, he made clear in the opening speech of his campaign which he delivered in Albert Hall that it was his purpose to make a generous and satisfactory settlement of the Irish problem one of the foremost issues before the electors.

Mr. Redmond, the leader of the Irish Nationalists, in his opening statement of the campaign in a speech at Dublin declared that no settlement of the Irish question would be satisfactory to the Irish people unless it contained a complete concession of the right of the Irish people to make laws for Ireland in a native Irish Parliament under the authority of an Irish executive responsible to and elected by the people of Ireland.

Asquith's Position Clear.

Mr. Asquith's Albert Hall speech was made in reply to the Redmond declaration. He made it absolutely clear that the Liberal party intended to make no offer of a half measure to the Irish people which would be only a partial acknowledgment of the right of Ireland to govern herself.

This declaration of the Prime Minister was promptly seconded in a series of addresses delivered throughout Great Britain by the members of the cabinet, notably by Chancellor Lloyd George, Augustine Birrell, the chief secretary for Ireland, and Winston Churchill, the home secretary.

At meetings held night after night in the leading centres of England, Scotland and Wales the Ministers held fast to their declaration and placed manfully and candidly before the country what their Irish policy would be if they were returned to power.

The answer of the electors was that Premier Asquith was returned to office, and he is now, with the aid of the Irish Nationalists and the English Laborite parties, in control of a majority sufficiently large and cohesive to carry his proposals through Parliament.

JUSTICE FOR IRISH, SAYS JUDGE DALY

Boston citizens of Irish blood today express the utmost satisfaction with the news brought by cable from the British Parliament. The fact that the House of Commons last night voted by a majority of 113 in favor of granting Ireland complete self-government is regarded by them as the best news the men and women of the Irish race have heard in many years.

"This news which I read in the AMERICAN last night with genuine delight is a grand augury for the future of the Irish people not only in their own motherland, but throughout the world," said Judge Augustine J. Daly of Cambridge to the AMERICAN to-day.

Mr. Daly is president of the Boston Central Branch of the United Irish League and one of the leading supporters of the Irish parliamentary party in Boston.

Justice for the Race.

"This vote taken last night in the House of Commons," continued Mr. Daly, "is one of the most important political events that has happened in the politics of the old world in more than a century. The manly, outspoken, honest declaration made last evening from the treasury bench in the House of Commons by Prime Minister Asquith must have filled the hearts of all friends of the Irish cause with genuine feelings of gratitude and joy.

"He is not the first Prime Minister of England to stand in his important place that he occupied last night and spoke those splendid words in favor of justice to the Irish people. That great tribune, William Ewart Gladstone, stood in the same place as Prime Minister twenty-five years ago and uttered the same sentiments of honest endeavor to right the wrongs of the Irish people.

"But Mr. Gladstone, great and noble as his intentions were, was many years ahead of the sentiment of his own people. He made a great effort to right a wrong which he declared in the sincerest terms was the one great blot on England's escutcheon. But his great task was too great, and Gladstone had to pass to his grave leaving to other hands the completion of the great temple of justice whose foundations he so nobly laid.

Gladstone's Mission.

"But the seed he had sown did not lie unproductive. On the contrary it has given birth to a rich harvest of new sentiment towards Ireland among the English people. To-day, twenty years since Gladstone was buried, amid the tears of a grateful people, his mission is being carried to complete triumph by that splendid group of Liberal leaders, Asquith, Lloyd George, Birrell, Churchill and the rest who are to-day leading the masses of the British people along new paths of justice and of imperial reform.

"While giving all due credit and returning all gratitude that is their due to those magnanimous statesmen of England, who are big enough and great enough to acknowledge the wrongdoing of England in the past toward Ireland, the Irish race will never for one moment forget that all this triumph of the present hour, all this brilliant hope for Ireland's future, is due first of all and beyond all to the labors and the sacrifices of the heroes of Ireland, who have given their lives and their liberties to the cause of their country in the last one hundred years.

The men and women of the Irish race will not, for they cannot, forget what they owe to Parnell and to Davitt. Neither can they, nor will they, forget, that in this moment of supreme crisis for their country's future their first and highest duty now is to make one last rally to the support of John Redmond, the tried and not found wanting successor of Parnell and of Davitt, who stands to-day before the world the calm, resolute, determined and triumphant leader of the great cause of Irish nationality."

"Splendid" Says Trahey.

As president of the Boston Central Branch of the United Irish League, Judge Daly will immediately take steps for summoning a meeting of the executive of the branch and of the Central Council of the League for the purpose of arranging for a great meeting in Boston of all who are interested in the home rule for Ireland movement in Boston.

Andrew Trahey said:

"This news is splendid. At last the Irish nation is coming to its own, and I am confident now that we will see Home Rule established within a year in Ireland. The Liberal party cannot go back on its pledges now. The last election proved to them that Home Rule must be brought about, for the Irish are comparatively strong in England as in Ireland. There they have the votes, here we have had money to carry through the campaigns, and honor is due the staunch Irishmen in America, who have provided funds for the campaigns of education both in this country and in Britain."

Mark H. Creehan of the National Committee of the League said:

"Frankly, the inevitable has arrived much sooner than I anticipated. Never has any Irishman, familiar with the oppression practiced in denying government to Ireland, doubted but that Home Rule was but a question of time. It was bound to come, because it was no more than a reasonable and just demand. Redmond's name will never be forgotten, and it is not too much to say of him that no abler statesman lives to-day. We have the utmost confidence that the Nationalists will not be betrayed this time, as they were in Parnell's time, for Redmond has satisfied himself beyond all doubt in the honesty of Asquith's intentions.

Proud of Redmond.

Michael Maynes, of the National Committee, is pleased at the news. He said: "I am gratified beyond all expression at the definite announcement of a parliament for Ireland, as made by Prime Minister Asquith.

"'A parliament for Ireland,' with all that the term implies, touches a sweet and tender chord in the Irish heart, and it sounds all the sweeter, for it comes after years of the bitterest struggle.

"Personally, I never had the slightest doubt as to the ultimate outcome of the efforts that have been so persistently put forth by the great leaders of the Irish parliamentary party, for it was a just cause which has been made holy by innumerable sacrifices of the Irish people.

"We are proud of the achievement of the peerless leader, John Redmond, whose master hand and mind has won the greatest victory in ancient or modern history.

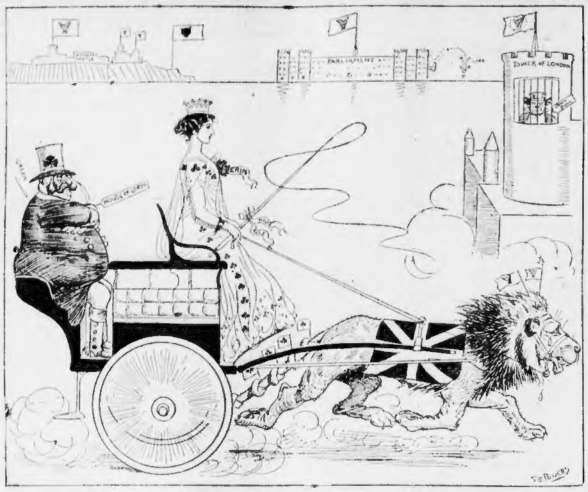
"Thank God, we are alive to witness the prospect of the glorious consummation of there being a Parliament established once more in College Green."

Dr. P. J. Timmins, one of the veterans of the Home Rule fight, is happy. "I am delighted with the news," he said. "It seems to be the happy culmination of our hopes for years. I have always had complete confidence in the integrity and ability of the leader of the Parliamentary party.

"Mr. Redmond has been always cautious in his promises, has never tried to mislead us with glittering hopes that had no solid foundation. Therefore, the satisfaction that he has given expression to at the announcement of the prime minister is all that I desire. Not that I wish to give all the credit to Mr. Redmond, for he has had in the rank and file of the parliamentary army as faithful soldiers as ever followed a general. If space permitted I might give as examples John Dillon, Joseph Devlin, and, in fact, every member of the party."

Dr. T. J. Dillon of Roxbury said: "John Redmond stands for Ireland to-day as Abraham Lincoln stood for America in his day; the country united and no man a slave; a free Legislature where every man, irrespective of caste or creed, shall have an equal opportunity."

ERIN NOW ON THE DRIVER'S SEAT



URGE HARVARD PRESS AGENT

Harvard is urged to either employ a press agent or establish a publicity bureau in an editorial which appears in the current number of the Harvard Alumni Bulletin. The plan, while not a new one, is for the first time openly advocated.

WINSOME WINNIE—She'll meet you Sunday morning in the City Life Section of the Sunday AMERICAN.

MYSTERY IN NAVY SUICIDE

NEWPORT, Feb. 16.—New light was thrown upon the mysterious death of Commander Frank Marble, a member of the Newport War College, and one of the most brilliant authorities on international law in the navy, when it became known to-day that the man had shot himself, probably under the influence of a drug which he had taken to relieve him of pain.

Because of the prominence of Commander Marble and Mrs. Marble in naval and social circles, the mere fact that he committed suicide caused the greatest sensation there. Naval officials did everything in their power to keep the facts from the public and succeeded until yesterday, the commander having shot himself on Monday night.

It became known to-day that the commander suffered a slight shock last Spring and that since that time he had been taking a great deal of medicine to relieve pain. The fact that it took two shots to even make him unconscious has led to the belief that he was not himself mentally when the idea of ending his life fixed itself in his mind.

Mystery of the Revolver.

Commander Marble probably shot himself at 11:30 o'clock on Monday night. He did it after having gone home from Newport. His wife was asleep. She found him unconscious in an anteroom off the parlor at 7:30 o'clock Monday morning.

Where was the revolver all this time? If he shot himself, it must have been lying in plain sight on the floor—one of the first objects one would see in going to the side of the prostrate man.

Right from the start the authorities tried to keep the facts of the tragedy from the public. They asked the newspapers not to say anything about the death for a day, at least. Then they reported that death was the result of an apoplectic stroke. They added that a near relative of the commander in New York was ill, and that the facts were being kept quiet on that account.

Captain James H. Oliver, senior officer of the college staff, to-day made this explanation of the mystery that has shrouded the suicide:

Had Been Working Hard.

"The facts are that we wished to withhold the information from the public until an official report could be made and sent to the Navy Department in Washington. In any case it was hoped that no reference would be made to the fact that he shot himself, as we did not think that was necessary so far as the public was concerned."

The findings in the case have been sent to Washington.

Commander Marble had been working on documents for the service for some time as early as 3 and 4 o'clock in the morning. Lately he was preparing a work which the late Rear Admiral [illegible] S. Sperry had started, Commander Marble being one of the most brilliant officers on international law in the navy.

SCANNELL SAYS HE'LL RUN AGAIN

Dr. David D. Scannell announced at a dinner given at the City Club in honor of himself and James P. Magenis, that he had withdrawn from the School Board temporarily only, and would again be a candidate for that position. The statement was greeted with cheers.

The dinner was a tribute to Dr. Scannell and Mr. Magenis, who have retired from the School Board. President Lowell of Harvard and the members of the present School Board joined in sounding the praises of the two educators.

More than 200 were in attendance.

Dr. David Snedden, commissioner of education for Massachusetts, presided. He read several letters from persons who could not attend. A communication from James J. Storrow evoked enthusiastic applause.

President Lowell referred to the achievements that had been made along educational lines within recent years.

After David Ellis, chairman of the School Board, had spoken, Samuel B. Capen protested against the abuse which at times had been heaped upon members of the School Board.

Mr. Magenis reviewed the work of the School Board during the last three years. He was followed by Dr. Scannell.

"I have withdrawn from the School Board temporarily," said Dr. Scannell. "I hope to again be a candidate for the Boston School Board. When that day comes, I should be grateful for the support of you who are present and are qualified to speak to the public from an expert point of view".

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Rose Cond. Milk Can	10c	Fruits Fancy California. In Sugar. All Kinds. Can	17c
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Baked Beans Plain or Sauce Doz. 1.05. Can	9c	Sardines Imported Norwegian Pure Oil. Doz. 1.05. Can	9c
Lima Beans Tiny Green Doz. 1.45. Can	12½c	Salmon Pride of Columbia Flat No. 1 Steaks Can	17c
Succotash Fancy Maine Doz. 1.46. Can	11c	Pineapple Hawaiian Sliced. In Sugar. Can	17c
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Girls' Flannelette Skirts, odd sizes, 6 to 14 yrs., value 50c and 69c, to close	15c
Girls' Wool Sweaters, all sizes, red, white and gray, to close	59c
Girls' Soiled White Dresses, 6 to 14 years, to close	49c

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Women's 15c Medium Weight Cotton Hose, black and tan	9c
Women's 25c Silk Lisle Hose, fine gauge, second quality; black and colors	12½c
Women's 25c and 35c Sample Hose, silk lisles, in black and colors and full fashioned cottons of various weights	16c
Children's 25c Guaranteed School Hose, 1x1 ribbed, seconds	12½c
Misses' 15c Fine Ribbed Maco Cotton Hose, slight imperfections	11c
Misses' 15c Tan Cotton Hose, 1x1 ribbed, large size	6c
Men's 25c Black Cashmere Wool Half Hose, pair	12½c

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79c and 98c Gowns, mostly low neck, lace and embroidery trimmed, prettily laced with ribbon, cut full length and width, some slightly mussed	49c
39c Corset Covers, drummers' samples, lace and embroidery trimmed, interlaced with ribbon, hardly two alike	25c

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Men's 4-in-Hands, in black and large assortment of colors; 25c value	12½c
Men's Heavy Cotton Sox, guaranteed to wear well; black, tan and black with split sole; 15c value. 3 pairs for 25c	10c
Men's Negligee Shirts, neat stripes, mostly black and white; 50c value	35c
Men's 50c Underwear, all sizes, balbriggan and porosknit	39c
Men's Sample Underwear, light weight; 50c to $1.00 values; sizes, shirts 40-42, drawers 30-38	25c

DOUBLE LEGAL STAMPS MORNINGS

PARKER TAKES OFFER BY DIX

Harold Parker of South Lancaster, Mass., has been selected by Governor Dix of New York as superintendent of the New York State highways, an $8,000 a year position, and the chairman of the Massachusetts Highway Commission says he will accept, under conditions.

"I have declined," said Mr. Parker, "to serve on a commission of three members and my understanding with Governor Dix is that if the New York law is amended to abolish the Highway Commission of three members and giving one man entire control of highways and all construction work I will accept."

To Improve Color and Beauty of Hair

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"To make a good shampoo powder put four ounces of orris root in a fruit jar and mix with it four ounces of therox. Sprinkle a little on the head and brush it thoroughly through the hair. This removes dirt, oil and dandruff, and the therox improves the color, brilliance, beauty and strength of the hair."

REAR ADMIRAL NAZRO IS DEAD

Rear Admiral Arthur P. Nazro, United States Navy, retired, died to-day at his home, No. 1 Sterey place, Jamaica Plain. He was born in Wisconsin and entered the navy in 1865 from that State. He had only recently been retired.

Admiral Nazro had been in ill-health for some time, having been taken ill in the Philippines in 1909, where he was commandant of the Cavite naval station. The climate proved so enervating to him that he was ordered home in November, 1909.

He was the first naval officer to fail to pass the physical tests required of naval officers of walking fifty miles on three consecutive days, and therefore he was retired on March 14, 1910.

He was born December 3, 1850, in Milwaukee, and was brought to this State by his parents in early youth. He was appointed to the Naval Academy from Massachusetts July 21, 1865. He attained the rank of Rear-Admiral December 15, 1908, after long and honorable service.

For three years before going to Cavite he was attached to the Boston Navy Yard, part of the time as commandant of the U. S. S. Wabash.

The suddenness of his death came as a distinct shock to those who were close to him. He was twice married, his second wife, Mrs. Mary E. (Goodwin) Nazro, surviving him. He leaves two adult children by the first marriage, Arthur B. Nazro of Boston and Mrs. Katherine Simons, wife of Lieutenant Manley Hale Simons of Guantanamo, Cuba.

PROF. A. M. WHEELER WILL LEAVE YALE

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 16.—Prof. Arthur M. Wheeler, head of the department of history at Yale, has announced his retirement at the end of the present school year, after forty-three years' service. He is an authority on European history.

F. WEYERHAUSER, WORLD'S RICHEST MAN, NEAR DEATH

FREDERICK WEYERHAEUSER

PASADENA, Feb. 16.—Frederick Weyerhouser, the world's richest man, is dying at his home here. His condition to-day is said to be no better than it has been for the past forty-eight hours. Secrecy surrounds the rich man in his illness, just as his whole life has been enveloped in mystery.

The lumber king is seventy-seven years old. He came to America from his home in Germany without a penny and went to Illinois where he worked in a saw mill. He gradually bought up lumber patches and then went to Minnesota where he kept adding to his lumber forests. He now controls 30,000,000 acres of rich lumber land.

"FREE LUNCH" AT A WEDDING

WHITINSVILLE, Feb. 16.—Friends of the bridegroom made life a burden to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel C. Duggan just after the ceremony which joined them in the Catholic Church here.

The Rev. Father Phelan performed the ceremony, which was made a most impressive affair. The new Mrs. Duggan was previously Miss Mary Healy.

Mr. Duggan had furnished a pretty home for his bride at Westside and there was to be a quiet wedding breakfast for immediate friends. Here is where the deadly jokers got in their fine work.

As the carriage containing the bridal party neared the house they discovered that a change had taken place in their absence. Across the front of the house was a sign twenty feet long and four feet deep, and on it in large colored letters was written: "We've just been married; lunch now being served. Step inside. Everybody welcome."

A large crowd was waiting in front of the house and the bridal party was given a royal greeting.

The bridegroom was equal to the situation and, mounting the steps, he gave a short speech and invited everybody to come in and make merry. His invitation was accepted.

WOMAN RENOUNCES FAITH FOR FIANCE

PITTSBURG, Feb. 16.—To appease the anger of her rich and influential father-in-law, Mrs. Willis McCook, Jr., has renounced her Presbyterian faith and has joined the Catholic Church, according to information made public. Young Mrs. McCook, it is said, was baptised by the Rev. C. A. McDermott of St. Peter's Church, McKeesport. Willis McCook, Jr., the husband, was present, and after the baptism the young couple walked to their little two-room house in a McKeesport suburb.

MOTHER MAKES PATHETIC PLEA

Mrs. Celia B. Hubbard of No. 10 Chester place, South End, has made a remarkably pathetic appeal to Secretary of War Dickinson asking him to free her son, Edwin Holman Hubbard, nineteen years old, now serving a two and a half years' sentence at Fort Warren for deserting. Mrs. Hubbard wrote to President Taft, asking pardon for her boy, and he referred the matter to the Secretary of War for adjustment. Mrs. Hubbard is a hard-working woman. She is forty years old and is the sole support of three children. Here is Mrs. Hubbard's letter to Secretary Dickinson:

Dear Sir: If you rightly remember, you were given a letter which I sent to President Taft in which I urged him to free my son, Edwin H. Hubbard, who is a military prisoner at Fort Warren.

I understood from the President that you were to give the matter your immediate attention. Later I received a letter from you in which you stated that the case was to come up in the Court of Appeals in January.

Friends have told me that it would cost considerable money to have a lawyer argue the case in that tribunal. I am a poor working woman. I can barely scrape up enough money every week to keep myself and children alive and away from the poorhouse. I have no influential friends to help me.

My boy was nineteen years old last November. Oh, sir, I cannot describe to you the anguish of a mother's heart over his confinement. Please sir, let him off. I am told it is within your power to do so. He is a good boy. It was for love of me and his sister and brother that he deserted the army. He wanted to work to earn money to support us. He knew that I was getting old and unable to work.

Sir, I have to live in a miserable hovel because of my poverty. Surely you can do me this favor. I have not appealed to any politicians to help me. I am appealing directly to you.

Very truly yours,
MRS. CELIA B. HUBBARD.
No. 10 Chester place, Boston.

SLEUTH HUNTED FAKE WHITTIER

The mystery of the disappearance from Boston on January 13 of Florence Whittier, the seventeen-year-old Ipswich girl, was further complicated to-day by the announcement that a search was being made for a man who is charged with posing as a detective, and had obtained money under false pretences from the family. It is stated that this man had given fake clews to the Whittiers, claiming that he could discover the girl in New London.

The New London police say this man was in that city Sunday, but left Monday

ANTI-RACE LAW BRIBERY TOLD

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Otto G. Foelker, ex-State Senator and now Congressman, took the stand at the trial of ex-Senator Frank J. Gardner to-day and swore that Gardner had attempted to bribe him to vote against the anti-track betting bill at Albany, in 1908.

It was the vote of Foelker that carried the bill to victory.

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NO. 5—BIG SALE

WOMEN'S 50c UNION SUITS **25c**

Medium weight jersey ribbed cotton shaped Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless and umbrella style. **Main Floor**

NO. 6—BIG SALE

Odd Lot $1.00 Kid Gloves **55c**

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Regular $3.00 values. Made of Union Taffeta and Gloria, in 26 and 28 inch sizes. Steel rods and paragon frames; plain and fancy handles. **Main Floor**

NO. 8—BIG SALE

Southern Fleece Blankets **49c** EACH.

300 Blankets, that regularly sell at 69c each. Full bed sizes; white, gray or tan, with pink or blue borders; bound on both ends. **Basement**

NO. 9—BIG SALE

Boys' $2.00 and $2.50 Suits **$1.35**

Fancy Scotch mixture suits, in double breasted style; knicker pants. Sizes from 9 to 16 years. An excellent suit for school and every day wear. **Third Floor**

NO. 10—BIG SALE

Odd Lot of $1.50 to $2.00 Corsets **79c**

American Lady, Warner Special and P. N. Corsets; long and medium lengths. **Second Floor**

NO. 11—BIG SALE

$1.25 Ready-to-Wear Turbans **75c**

Made of black braids over wire frame, and trimmed with braid rosettes and quills or wings. **Second Floor**

NO. 12—BIG SALE

Notions

Main Floor

Nickel Safety Pins—One dozen on card; all sizes. Value 5c a card each... **3 for 5c**

Hair Nets—Silk, large allover style, pull the string and it fits, all shades. Value 10c each... **6 for 25c**

Pad Hose Supporters—Plain and fancy frilled elastics of 1¼-inch webs. All colors. Value 50c; a pair... **25c**

Congress Pins—Needle points, full count. Value 5c a paper... **3 for 10c**

Washable Light Weight Dress Shields—All sizes. Value 10c a pair... **4 Prs. 25c**

Women's Lingerie and Silk Dresses

REGULAR $10.00 AND $12.00 VALUES, FRIDAY AT... **$5.00** NO. 13 BIG SALE

An opportunity to buy a dress, for evening wear and then for afternoon wear in the warmer months, that very rarely presents itself, and should, therefore, be taken instant advantage of. Lingerie dresses are slightly soiled, otherwise perfect, and the silk dresses have kimono sleeves. Special, at... **Second Floor**

CHILDREN'S COATS In full length models, made of all wool materials and are positive $5.00 values. Friday, at... **$2.45**

CHILDREN'S DRESSES New 1911 Tub Dresses, in sizes 6 to 14 years; light and dark colorings; all have deep hems; $1.00 values... **49c**

NO. 14—BIG SALE

Wash Goods

Main Floor.

12½c New Percales

Mill end lengths in fine desirable patterns. Light and dark grounds or plain colors. Standard yard wide. Limit 15 yards, at, a yard... **7c**

New Printed Muslins—Very fine quality, in staple and floral designs. Will make up into pretty dresses. 12½c value, at, a yard... **9c**

3,000 yards of Galateas, in striped and figured effects; large assortment of the best designs. Every yard worth 19c; yard... **12½c**

NO 15—BIG SALE

TOILET ARTICLES

Main Floor.

25c Seidlitz Powders	10c
25c Sulphur and Cream Tartar Lozenges	10c
15c Borated and Perfumed Talcum Powder	5c
10c Buttermilk Complexion Soap, 6 cakes for	48c
50c Nail and Hand Brushes	17c
25c Liquid Shampoo	17c
25c Peroxide Cold Cream	15c
25c Queen Tooth Paste	10c
35c Compound Syrup of Figs	12c

NO. 16—BIG SALE

Upholstery

Third Floor.

15c Casement Cloth

36 in. wide; very pretty stained glass and other designs. Suitable for cottage and Dutch curtains. About 6,000 yards in lengths from 2 to 10 yards; at, a yard... **5½c**

Portiere Samples and Remnants of Tapestry Velours—Values range up to $2.00; at, each... **49c**

Fancy Printed Denims—34 inches wide and suitable for hangings and slip coverings. 15c grades, yard... **8c**

Striped Fish Net—In white or amber color, 42 inches wide and suitable for long or Dutch curtains. 29c value, yard, at... **14c**

Irish Point Lace Door Panels—Size 36 x 45 inches, 35c values... **16c**

Enamelled Ware

NO. 17.—BIG SALE

Imported 50c to 75c Grades

Choice **19c** Each

A Final Clearance of all remaining pieces of Imported Enamelware, all somewhat damaged, but not enough to mar their cooking qualities.

Sauce Pans Roast Pans Dippers Preserving Kettles	**19c**	Milk Cookers Cooking Kettles Tea Kettles Stock Pots Frying Pans

25c ALL WHITE TABLE OILCLOTH, Yd. 15c

1¼ yards wide; this regular 25c quality, Friday, limit 6 yards to a customer. Subject to slight imperfections.

NO. 18—BIG SALE

White Goods

Main Floor.

12½c English Longcloth

Mill ends; also white checked and striped dress muslins. Desirable lengths for waists and dresses, 10c to 12½c grades, at, a yard... **6½c**

Remnants of White Goods—Including Persian Lawns, English Longcloths, Dotted Muslins, 40-inch White Lawns and checked, striped and figured Muslin. Desirable lengths; 15c to 19c qualities, yard... **8½c**

Unbleached Cotton—40 inches wide; good firm grade in lengths from 2 to 15 yards; 10c usually. Limit 20 yards, at, a yard... **6½c**

NO. 19—BIG SALE

Silks

Main Floor

REMNANTS OF SILKS

That are worth from 75c to $1.25 a yard. Lengths from 2 to 12 yards and widths range from 19 to 36 inches. Plain taffetas, checked and striped taffeta, Louisienes, Persians, Foulards and Pongees. Yard, at... **45c**

Remnants of Silks, worth to 75c—Lengths from 1 to 10 yards. China silks, Poplins, Taffetas, Messalines, Habutais, fancy failles, etc. Yard, at... **19c**

24-inch Fancy Twill Foulards—In tan, brown, navy, Copenhagen, catawba, wistaria and black, with white polka dots. 79c value... **29c**

NO. 20—BIG SALE

GROCERIES

Fifth Floor.

NEXT WEEK OPENING FRESH FISH DEPARTMENT — FROM THE C2U

Hot Biscuit 1,000 dozen only, from our own sunlit bakery. Delicious raised biscuit, steaming hot, light, very appetizing. Limit of 4 dozen; none delivered. Original pan of 24 biscuit, 7c; single dozen... **4c**

Pound or Fruit Cake Our own baking, pound cake, in fruit, marble or plain or Princess Fruit Cake. Regular price 18c. Friday, lb. **12½c**

Tea Cake Russian Tea Cake, exceedingly good, large squares, fancy frosted, 3 for 25c; each... **10c**

Salt Pork Fine selected quality, heavy fat backs. Special, per lb... **12c**

Small Pea Beans Tiny, even sized, selected New York pea beans, per quart... **9c**

Corn Meal The choicest golden grains, fine granulated, 5 lbs... **12c**

Table Jelly Chivers' famously good English table jellies, all flavors produced from fine fruits, your choice of flavors, 3 pkgs. 25c; each... **8½c**

Quaker Oats The Quaker Oats Co.'s regular size package, each... **7½c**

English Jam Crosse & Blackwell's renowned Household jam, in regular full size stone pots, doz. $1.70... **15c**

Oranges California navels, not large, but fine quality and juicy, dozen... **19c**

Grape Fruit Finest, large, juicy, seedless, 6 for 25c; each... **5c**

Dried Beef Armour's selected smoked chip beef, wafer thin, delicious for breakfast or supper, pound... **29c**

NO. 21—BIG SALE

Linens

Main Floor

Bleached Table Damask

Remnants of a heavy weight, union and mercerized damask; 66 and 72 inches wide. Lengths from 1½ to 3 yards long. 50c and 59c grades, at, a yard... **39c**

Heavy-weight All Linen Absorbent Crash—Also red and blue checked glass toweling, suitable for hand, dish, roller and glass towels. 10c and 11c value, yard... **8½c**

Bleached Seamless Bed Sheets—Of extra heavy soft finish cotton, made with 3 and 1 inch hems. Size 81x90 inches. 79c values, limit 6 to a customer, at, each... **59c**

NO. 22—BIG SALE PICTURE FRAMES

19c and 39c

In cabinet sizes; oval, oblong, postal card and miniature sizes. Gilt and oxidized, and mounted with beautiful colored picture if desired. Values up to $1.00. **Main Floor**

NO. 23—BIG SALE ROGERS' FLAT WARE

A1 plate, in a beautiful pattern. Bright finish and warranted to wear 10 years. **Main Floor**

Table Spoons, each	19c
Table Forks, each	19c
Dessert Spoons, each	17c
Dessert Forks, each	17c
Tea Spoons, each	10c

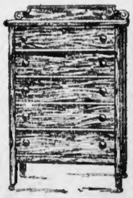
NO. 24—FRIDAY'S SPECIALS FROM

February Furniture Sale

$15.00 METAL BEDS $8.95

A beautifully designed steel enamelled bed, heavier than the ordinary bed and more substantial. $15 values, at... **$8.95**

$7.50 CHIFFONIERS $5.45



Solid golden oak chiffoniers, 34 inches wide and 18 inches deep. Very roomy and substantially built. Very special for Friday's selling. **$5.45** Fifth Floor

Feather Pillows, sanitary pillows, covered with best quality ticking. $2.50 values, a pr. **$1.45**

Leather Slip Seat Rockers, solid oak, in Early English finish; genuine leather slip seat. Regular $7.50 values, Friday only, at... **$4.95**

NO. 25—BIG SALE

Women's 59c Flannelette Skirts, at **25c**

In pink or blue stripes. Made with wide full ruffle with [illegible]. **Second Floor.**

NO. 26—BIG SALE

Infants' Wear

Second Floor.

Children's 39c Rompers

In tan, rose and blue; neat white trimmings; sizes 2 to 6 yrs. Regular 39c values, Friday... **17c**

39c and 50c Worsted Toques

For infants and children. Also hockey caps, in white, cardinal, white and white with blue and white with pink. Sizes to 6 years. Special... **10c**

VOTING ENDS March 11th, In Our Distribution of $4,000 to Charity

No votes counted on sales slips issued with purchases made after February 28th. In order to give our customers sufficient time to vote on purchases made up to and including the last day of February, the voting will be extended to March 11, inclusive.

NO. 27—BIG SALE AXMINSTER RUGS

Third Floor.

Extra heavy quality Royal Axminster Rugs, size 9x12, in best Oriental patterns. Regular $28.00 values... **$18.50**

4-yds. Wide Linoleum

Will cover a room without a seam. Hardwood, floral and geometrical designs. 75c and 85c grades. Square yard... **59c**

Clearance Dress Goods

No. 28 BIG SALE 54 to 58 Inch Widths

$1.75 DRESS GOODS
$2.00 DRESS GOODS
$2.50 DRESS GOODS
$3.00 DRESS GOODS

98c

To make room for the new Spring stocks that are constantly arriving we sacrifice these English Worsteds, Scotch Tweeds, Cheviots, Hop Sackings, Basket Weaves and Mannish Suitings at this most amazing of low prices.

REMNANTS OF DRESS GOODS

In lengths from 2 to 7 yards. Voiles, Panamas, Henriettas, Poplins, Cheviots, Serges, Worsteds and Broadcloths. WORTH UP TO $2.00 a yard. At (Main Floor) **45c**

NO. 29—BIG SALE

Odd Lot 39c Short Kimonos **17c**

Neat floral patterns. All sizes. A limited number. **Second Floor**

NO. 30—BIG SALE

25c to 50c Jewelry Novelties **9c**

Gold plated brooches, stick pins, cuff buttons. Also strand and elastic barrettes, in amber and shell and jet. **Main Floor**

NO. 31—BIG SALE WALL PAPER

Third Floor

For 68c We will sell 10 rolls of paper and 20 yards of perfectly matched border. Regular $1.50 value.

At 8c and 15c A Roll, you may choose from patterns that are worth from 20c to 40c.

NO. 32—BIG SALE

Women's 60c Storm Rubbers **39c**

Low and storm styles, with either flat or low heels. **Main Floor**

NO. 33—BIG SALE WASH LACES

2c, 5c, 9c Yd.

All odd pieces, broken line of patterns and patterns we wish to discontinue, widths up to 9 inches. **Main Floor**

NO. 34—BIG SALE EMBROIDERY

5c, 9c, 14c, 19c Yard

Final lengths of Swiss and nainsook embroideries in lengths mostly 4½ yards; values up to 40c a yard. **Main Floor**

NO. 35—BIG SALE

12½c and 19c Embroid'd Collars **5c**

Embroidered, Dutch and Eton collars, in a large variety of patterns. **Main Floor**

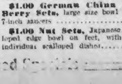
NO. 36—BIG SALE

12½c and 19c Initial Handk'chiefs **5c**

Large variety of styles. The quantity is limited. **Main Floor**

Cut Glass

Salad or Berry Bowls $3.50 Values, **$1.98**



No. 37 Big Sale Basement.

8-inch size; pin wheel, buzz and diamond cuttings.

Thin-Blown Water Tumblers, always 60c a dozen, each... **3c**

$1.00 German China Salad or Berry Sets, large size bowl with 7-inch saucers... **49c**

$1.00 Nut Sets, Japanese china, scalloped edge bowl on feet, with six individual scalloped dishes... **49c**

Henry Siegel Co., Washington and Essex Streets, Boston, Mass. We Reserve the Right to Refuse All Mail, C. O. D. and Telephone Orders on Friday Advertised Specials.

DR. PARKHURST ON BOSTON VICE

Continued from First Page.

Politics always rubs in more dirt than it rubs off. Neither the Republican party as such nor the Democratic party as such has in it morality sufficiently uncontaminated and virile to be of any service in municipal regeneration.

What is needed, then, as working capital is not political manipulation but moral indignation, and large quantities of it, and of the kind that does not harden in standing nor chill by exposure. And that is something that it takes time to develop.

No seed that is sown now will give a harvest ready to be reaped at the next November election, and very likely not in the November after. The only thing to do, under the circumstances, is to jump on the situation and cancel all previous engagements.

The churches ought to be ripe for such an enterprise all the time, but they are not. In '92 we found religious people more interested in driving the devil out of Japan, China and Madagascar than in chasing him away from about the churches and synagogues. It has always seemed to me irrational to be so interested in repairing people for the other world as to miss trying to make a decent and comfortable thing out of the world that is here now.

First Get at Facts.

So that our first move was to get at the facts in the situation and publish and put them so close to people's eyes that they would see them, even when looking the other way. It was not nice business and altogether [illegible] but even our most venomous critics never suggested any other way of doing it. The criticisms really came from those who did not want it done our way or any other way. There is no policy of action that will satisfy people that want things left as they are.

And so we canvassed the town for facts, and the worse the facts the better they served our purpose. We kept piling them up, gathering a fresh invoice one day and serving them up hot the day after. The papers took all we gave them, not because they liked it, but because the people read it.

There is no town so hardened in its depravity that it can bear up under that treatment indefinitely. Something had to give way. We knew that eventually the people, even the best of them, would rise up in their wrath and drive us out or drive out the other fellows. We felt at one time that it was just about a toss-up between the two. When one is kept busy there is no time to turn pessimist.

Decided by Authorities.

As the details of the Boston situation probably differ considerably from what they were in New York, it seems wiser in such treatment of the matter to set forth the principles and methods of our operations, rather than the specific things we did, confident that the underlying principles and spirit of action are valid for both cities.

The Mayor, Police Commissioner and District Attorney made sport of us at first, and later derided us and eventually commenced to curse us. The cursing was an encouragement and we lived on it, for it showed that we were getting near the vitals.

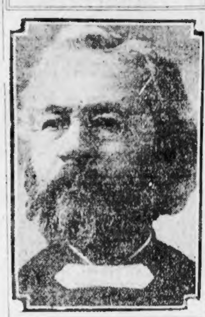
But it was hard work and sad work. Vice was a commodity and had its market value, as much so as corn. In cases that were taken into court we sometimes won and sometimes were whipped.

And a point to note is that it made very little difference which, for it kept the thing in the air. When we won it showed the public that we had the right of it. When we were defeated it operated to convince the respectable element how obstinately entrenched the enemy were that the courts would decide against us when the whole trend of evidence was in our favor.

One of the best ways of getting up, sometimes, is to be thrown down.

The second article on this subject, by Dr. Parkhurst, will appear in to-morrow's AMERICAN.

DR. PARKHURST, WHO WRITES OF VICE IN BOSTON



BOARD REPORTS ON NEW HAVEN

The "Joint Railroad" board, consisting of the State Railroad Commission, the Tax Commissioner and the Bank Commissioner, to-day submitted to the Legislature a voluminous report concerning their investigation as to the proposed validation of New Haven Railroad securities, illegally issued, a financial investigation of the property and other matters concerning railroad consolidation in general.

The three-headed commission, which was provided for by special act of the General Court, makes a comprehensive recommendation for new legislation covering the mergers of railroads doing business in more than one State, and urges the authorization of the issues of stocks and bonds in connection with interstate consolidation, provided such issues are in conformation to public policy. The New Haven is both a Connecticut and a Massachusetts corporation.

After reviewing the changed conditions of commerce since the time previous to the passage of the Interstate Commerce laws, the report concludes:

"In conclusion, therefore, we recommend, first, that the General Court give attention, in the absence of Federal supervision, to the feasibility of uniform legislation in the several New England States, and, second, in the event of such legislation being considered unfeasible, that Acts of 1906, Part II, Sections 47, 57 and 66, together with the necessary modification of other sections incidental thereto, be amended in accordance with the report of the joint board and the report of this commission."

There are no dissenting opinions in the report. The document includes 300 typewritten pages. Sixty of these pages set forth the board's recommendations; 163 more comprise the statement of Professor George F. Swain, chief expert adviser of the board; while the remaining pages consist of an appraisal of the New Haven's security holdings made by Stone & Webster.

The valuation of the New Haven property is stated to aggregate $496,280,801, including all working assets, cash and securities.

BOSTON DOG'S WIN CAUSES PROTEST

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The awarding of the blue ribbon for Irish terriors to Thorncroft Marksman, owned by J. R. Thorndyke of Boston, has started a storm of protest at the Westminster Kennel Exhibition at Madison Square Garden. The fact that Robert Vecary of Churchill's Newton Abbot, England, was the judge, failed to mollify the exhibitors whose dogs were beaten. Vicary is regarded as one of the greatest experts in the world on Irish terriers. Not only was Thorncroft Marksman considered the best dog in the limit and open classes by Vicary, but he was considered the best dog in the winners' classes and was awarded the blue ribbon over all the dogs.

CHINATOWN LETTER CARRIER IS DEAD

Captain Dennis Meehan, for fifteen years letter carrier in Chinatown, is dead at his home, No. 182 Washington street, Dorchester. He had been in the postoffice service forty-two years. His last post was at the Essex street branch. Captain Meehan, who was born in County Clare, Ireland, and brought to this country by his parents when five years old, enlisted in the Second Massachusetts and served through the Civil War. He rose from private to captain and was wounded at Gettysburg.

L. H. RUSSELL, CIVIL WAR VETERAN, DEAD

[illegible] H. Russell, Civil War veteran, is dead at his home, No. 49 Cottage avenue, Winthrop, at the age of ninety-one.

He enlisted in Company I, 13th Massachusetts regiment, and was in the following engagements: Battle of Bolivar Heights at Harpers' Ferry, second Bull Run, South Mountain and Antietam.

FOUR SLASHED BY MAN WITH RAZOR

George Williams, of No. 16 Willard place Roxbury, Zedwood Lewis of No. 68 Northfield street and Clara Tonnell and Annie Dudley of No. 16 Willard place, all colored, are in the City hospital, and the police are hunting for a young colored man who is accused of having slashed them with a razor during a dispute. It is said the atack was due to jealousy.

BALLANTYNE SERVES AS ACTING MAYOR

Corporation Counsel Babson gave it as his opinion, in a communication received by the Mayor, that the City Council is a containing body, and that Councillor Ballantyne, who was the last year president of that body and who under the law will preside over the meetings of the Council until it selects a president, can legally serve as the acting Mayor.

H. S. WARD CONTINUES PICTORIAL LECTURES

H. Snowden Ward continued his popular pictorial lectures in Tremont Temple yesterday, journeying in the afternoon with his listeners through the land made famous by Chaucer. In "Canterbury Pilgrimages" the lecturer revealed much that was attractive to the eye. In the evening Mr. Ward again showed the marvels of photography.

CHAMBER URGES FACTORY LAWS

That the State inspection of factories and workshops in Massachusetts is improperly organized and defective in other important particulars is asserted by the Industrial Relations Committee of the Boston Chamber of Commerce in a report issued to-day. The report says that accidents and disease among working people could be greatly reduced if the inspection were better organized, and the directors of the chamber have voted to favor legislation looking to reorganization.

The committee, in a second report, also recommends that the chamber favor provision being made by the Massachusetts Legislature for a further investigation, and the securing of additional information, in reference to a more satisfactory method of providing compensation or payment in case of injuries resulting from accidents.

The report says:

"It is impossible to accomplish the proper objects of State inspection and supervision of industrial establishments. Your committee, therefore, believes that the inspection system should be reorganized along the following lines:

"First, all authority exercised for this purpose should be brought under one head which should be a board with a small membership representing the various interests concerned. Under this board, a director or commissioner of industrial inspection should be the active head of the department, but his rulings should be subject to revision by the board. Under his direction should be such deputies as may be necessary and an adequate force of inspectors.

Second, the board and the officers subordinate to it should have power:

(a) To make reasonable rules and regulations to govern conditions affecting health and safety in industrial establishments;

(b) To enter and inspect all industrial establishments;

(c) To require that, so far as practicable, efficient means shall be employed in such establishments to prevent personal injury and disease among employes.

"Your committee is convinced that a State department organized on these general principles would be able to reduce materially the likelihood of accident and disease in industrial establishments, thereby greatly increasing the efficiency of all workers employed in such establishments. We, therefore, recommend that the chamber advocate a reorganization of industrial inspection in this State in the manner described in this report, and take such steps as may be necessary for the passage of legislation to put such a reorganization into effect."

100 GIRLS ARRIVE, SEEKING HUSBANDS

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 16.—Among the passengers on the Royal Edward, here from Bristol, Eng., were 100 English, Scotch and Irish girls who are bound for the Canadian Northwest in quest of husbands. The young women were in charge of Mrs. Morrison, a matron appointed by the steamship company to look after the welfare of the girls.

Business Notice.

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Friday Arrow Sale

Every Friday we hold an Arrow Sale, when we mark down for quick selling all odd lots, broken sizes, single pieces, samples, goods soiled or crushed in handling or used in window displays, and goods that for any reason have been slow in selling.

By this method we are able to keep our stocks fresh, clean and correct in every way.

18 Women's Coats
Three long semi-fitted black broadcloth coats and fifteen short black broadcloth coats, at A SMALL FRACTION OF ORIGINAL PRICE 2.25

20 Women's Suits
Materials serges, worsteds and cheviots, fabrics that are not too heavy, black, navy and colors. REDUCED FROM $25.00 TO 11.75

25 Women's Suits
Attractive models in cheviots, homespun and serges. REDUCED FROM $21.75 TO 8.50

Bates Gingham Dresses
In broken sizes; assorted colors both in checks and stripes, prettily trimmed. REDUCED FROM $8.75 TO 4.75

Panama Dress Skirts
In blue and black, circular gored model, in all sizes. REDUCED FROM $5.00 TO 3.75

50 Hand Bags
Variety colors, metal and leather covered 9 to 12-inch frames; leather lined. REDUCED FROM $1.50 TO 1.00

Diagonal Suiting
54 inch, all wool, medium weight, correct for street suits; black and navy. REDUCED FROM $1.50 TO 1.00

Silks
19-inch black peau de cygne, 19-inch black messaline, 18-inch satin liberty for waists, dresses and slips. REDUCED FROM 50c TO 39c

2-Piece Madras Dresses
In light striped materials, very attractive model with strictly tailored waist. REDUCED FROM $3.98 TO 1.95

Tray Cloths
26 dozen all pure linen damask patterns, unhemmed, size 17x26. REDUCED FROM 19c TO 15c

32 Other Arrow Items, Just as Good, Not Advertised

FOLLOW THE ARROWS

DIAMONDS
½ CARAT $20

TOMORROW we shall offer a mixed lot of Single Stone Diamond Rings, all sizes, suitable for either lady or gentleman, at $20 each. Some weigh more than half a carat, others less, but one-half carat is a fair average. Every one is weighed to 1-64 of carat. You get this on your bill of sale with our full guarantee. $20 for a half carat Diamond is an unheard of price, and such an offer was never made over our counter before. The first callers get the best and largest. They are cut "Spread" and look to be worth at least $50. Every one will be sold subject to our refund agreement, which provides for the return of the money any time within one year. Ask to see it. In this list are a few specials that will be offered with the same agreement. No duplicates:

¾ carat	$50.00
1 and 1-32 carats	47.00
2 carats	121.00
2 and ⅜ carats	154.00
2 and ¾ carats	220.00
4 carats	248.00
1 and ¾ carats	121.00
1 and ⅛ carats	43.00
1 and ¼ carats	54.00
1 and ⅜ carats	88.00
⅞ carat	40.00
1 carat	47.00
1 and ¼ carats	55.00

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FRIDAY SPECIALS IN
Shoes
(Hamilton Place Annex)

Women's Sample Shoes—300 pairs—factory samples—representing the best selected leathers and new season's styles—also short lines from our stock—value 3.00 to 4.00—at	2.29
Girls' Shoes—Goodyear welt—styles suitable for girls' wear—also women wearing small sizes—1 to 3½—narrow and medium widths—value 3.00—at	1.69
Women's Wool Soles—lambs' wool soles—nearly all sizes in this lot—value .25—at	.17
Women's Rubbers—shapes to fit the popular styles and nearly all sizes—value .65—at	.49
Party Slippers—strap slippers—in patent and dull leather and a variety of dressy effects for dancing and party wear—value 2.00 and 2.50—at	1.47

FRIDAY SPECIALS IN
Silks

Yard Wide Taffeta—chiffon finished—yarn dyed—pure silk—new and staple colors—1.00 values—at	.79
.19 Poplins—limited quantities and small line of colors—.59 to 1.00 values—at	.29
.19 Dresdens—beautiful floral effects—in rich color combinations on white—1.00 values—at	.39
Yard Wide Black Taffeta—fine quality—.89 value—at	.69
27-inch Black Messaline—.89 values—at	.59

FRIDAY SPECIALS IN
Dress Goods

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BOY ON STAND IN CUSUMANO TRIAL

IDENTIFIES QUILT FOUND AROUND BODY ON HULL BEACH.

Continued from First Page.

Q.—Did you go to the beach to see the body when it was found? A.—Yes. I saw the quilt and the wire. I told father and mother about the quilt and the wire when I went home to dinner.

Q.—Was the quilt you saw wrapped around the body the same as the one that Frank took away from your home? A.—It looked like the same one.

It was at this time that the quilt was brought into the court room and spread out by Chief Reynolds. The boy got down from the witness stand, walked over to where the quilt lay and looked at it.

"That's the quilt, or one just like it," was the boy's verdict.

Q.—Why do you recall the quilt so distinctly? A.—Because I was going to take it to my camp.

Lawyer William J. Coughlan cross-examined young Jacobson.

Q.—Did you talk to the District Attorney last night? A.—Yes.

Q.—Have you talked to Chief Reynolds? A.—Yes.

Q.—How many times have you seen the quilt? A.—Three times, once at the Cusumano house, once at the hearing and last night.

Q.—What did Chief Reynolds say to you when he talked to you? A.—He asked me if that was the quilt I had seen at our house and which Frank had taken away.

Q.—What did you say? A.—I shook my head. (The boy shook his head in the negative.)

Q.—What did you mean by that? A.—I did not remember it.

Quilt in Jacobson Yard.

On redirect examination the boy was asked:

Q.—What did you say to your mother about this quilt? (Objected to by Attorney Coughlan, but admitted by the court). A.—I was speaking to my father, but my mother was there.

Q.—Well, what did you say to your father? A.—I said, 'father, the quilt was up on the tires in our yard, and they might bring you in for murder.'

Q.—And where was this when this talk occurred? A.—It was at the dinner table at home.

Q.—And just when? A.—On the day that the body was found.

Attorney Coughlan then questioned.

Q.—Did you ever testify to this before? A.—Yes, at the hearing in Hingham.

Q.—Did you ever tell it to anybody else? A.—I told it to the police.

Q.—Did you have any reason for keeping it a secret apart from the police? A.—No, but I didn't tell everybody.

Before court opened to-day Mrs. Vincenzo Laura, the mother of Lena Cusumano, chatted with her accused daughter. Mrs. Josephine Perry, Lena's sister, was also in court. Mrs. Perry is caring for Lena's nine-year-old daughter. The mother and sister are staying here during the trial and doing what they can to bring comfort to the accused woman.

Joseph C. Ross is acting as interpreter for the defendants and when testimony that they do not understand is given he translates it to them.

Jacobson Recalled.

Martin Jacobson, recalled to the witness stand, was questioned by District Attorney Barker.

Q.—Do you recall your boy saying anything about this case at your home? A.—Yes.

Q.—When was it and what did he say? A.—It was at the dinner table on the day the body was found. Walter said: "Pa, that quilt came from our place, and they might say that we killed the man."

Q.—You knew that Cusumano had disappeared? You knew that the body had been found on the beach wapped in a quilt? And you knew that your boy had said that the quilt found about the body was the one taken from your house? Why didn't you tell about this? A.—I didn't know from my own information that the quilt was the one taken from my place. I don't know so now.

The next witness was Mrs. Elizabeth Jacobson, the wife of Martin Jacobson.

Q.—Did you see a quilt about your place last Summer? A.—Yes.

Q.—Where was it? A.—On some logs around the house.

Q.—Did you have any idea of doing anything with the quilt? A.—Yes, I thought of washing it and using it for the men's bed.

Q.—Who took the quilt away? A.—Frank Cusumano.

Q.—How happened Cusumano to take the quilt from your place? A.—Frank was leaving our employ, and we gave him some things to take home. He came with a wagon and took this quilt among other things. He threw the quilt over a bureau and Walter and a fellow named Tony drove him in the wagon to his house.

Thought They Might Be Accused.

Q.—Is this the quilt? (Pointing to the quilt on the floor.) A.—That's the quilt or it's one just like it.

Q.—How do you identify it? A.—By its patches of red and pink.

Q.—Do you recall Walter coming home on the day the body was found and making any remark concerning the quilt? A.—Yes.

Q.—What did he say? A.—He said to his father, "Pa, that quilt found around the body was in our yard for some time. They may say we killed him."

Cross-examined by Coughlan.

Q.—Are you sure the quilt was taken away the last week in August? A.—Yes.

Q.—And are you sure that it was taken by Frank Cusumano? A.—I am positive. I saw him pick it up, throw it over a bureau on a wagon and drive off to his house with it.

The morning recess of fifteen minutes was taken at 10:45 o'clock. When the recess was ordered Mrs. Lauro got up from her seat among the spectators and went over to the dock near which Mrs. Cusumano, her daughter, was seated.

For the entire recess she talked earnestly with her daughter. She leaned over close to her and spoke in her ear. Mrs. Cusumano held on to a shawl that Mrs. Lauro wore. This shawl aroused the suspicion of the sheriff, and he ordered a deputy and Chief of Police Hollis of Abington to keep close watch on the couple.

George H. Downing, a Hingham undertaker, told of being called to the beach and of finding the body there. He was questioned by District Attorney Barker:

Q.—What do you say as to this quilt which I show you? Is it the same as was wrapped about the body when you saw it on the beach? A.—I should say it was the same.

Q.—What was done with the body after it was found? A.—It was taken to my shop in Hingham Centre. An autopsy was performed by Doctors Peterson and Dorr after that it was placed in a box and buried in Hull the following Tuesday.

Q.—Was the body exhumed? A.—Yes, the following Saturday and another autopsy was performed by Doctors Peterson and Magrath. The body was then buried again in the same grave on October 23.

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Q.—When was the body next exhumed? A.—On December 10 and another autopsy was performed by Doctors Peterson and Magrath and Professor Whitney of Harvard.

Q.—Did Marshall come to your undertaking rooms? A.—Yes, he came and Mrs. Cusumano was with him.

Q.—Where was the body? A.—In a box in my room partly filled with excelsior.

New picture of Mrs. Lena Cusumano, on trial at Plymouth.

Q.—What did Mrs. Cusumano do? A.—I removed the cover, and Marshall came in first. He called to Mrs. Cusumano to come in, and she did. They looked at the body, and she was about to touch it when I told her not to touch anything. She scanned along the quilt with her eyes for about half a minute. The puff over the body was not the one that was wrapped about it when it was found.

Q.—What did Mrs. Cusumano do after that? A.—She sat down in a chair and commenced to cry. Marshall spoke to her gruffly and she stopped crying.

Q.—Then what did she do? A.—She went outsidet and sat down on a wheelbarrow and commenced to cry again.

Q.—Did they talk together while they were in your rooms? A.—Yes, they talked all the time.

Under cross-examination the witness denied that he ever said that the body was that of an Indian or of a colored man.

Dr. John A. Peterson, medical examiner for the Hingham district, told of the different autopsies that were performed and then described the wounds on the body. In describing the wounds he used Assistant District Attorney Katzman to illustrate the location of the wounds. He said that death was undoubtedly due to the two deep cuts on the right side of the neck, both of which severed the spinal cord.

OLD MOTHER SAD FIGURE AT TRIAL

By CARL ADAMS.

PLYMOUTH, Feb. 16.—The most pathetic figure in attendance at the first murder trial Plymouth has known in years is not Lena Cusumano, the woman defendant. Lena sit all day with her coal black eyes directed at the wall back of Judge Schofield.

The Commonwealth says Lena assisted in the killing of her husband, Frank, in their new house at Hull, on Sunday, September 18, the actual killing being done by Harry Mascioli, or Marshall, her admirer.

At the courthouse Marshall sits alone in the prisoner's pen. Lena Cusumano sits outside the pen, on his left, with Court Officer Albert I. Simmons between them.

Not once since the actual trial began on Tuesday have Lena Cusumano and Harry Marshall looked at each other. The woman could stand up, reach over and touch him. So far as appearances go, she doesn't know he is there.

Nor is Marshall the most pathetic figure at the trial. He has been observed to smile. This was when Martin Jacobson, the Hull contractor, by whom Marshall and Cusumano were employed, paid tribute to Marshall's worth as a workman.

Mother Saddest Figure.

A little old mother came down from Moon street, in the North End of Boston, on Tuesday, came down to see the daughter whom she held to her breast as an infant, and so much of Plymouth as has had enough curiosity to visit the court house is of the opinion that Lena Cusumano's old mother is the saddest figure of the trial.

Mrs. Vincenzo Lauro, in her great grief, would make a fine subject for a painter. She sits half way back in the rectangular court room, among the spectators, a great shawl drawn close about her as if she would hide herself from the world, and a smaller, colored shawl fastened over her head after the fashion of some Italian grandmothers. Only her face is visible. Sometimes it would draw tears from a stone.

It probably is true that Mrs. Lauro doesn't understand a word of the testimony. She sits weeping quietly, now and then raising her eyes to heaven and moving her lips as if in prayer. Infrequently she glances in the direction of her daughter. Then she may be seen to rock back and forth, clasping her hands together.

Prisoner is Stoical.

Lena Cusumano sees none of this, but sits like a stoic, the big black eyes straight ahead, save when she studies the faces at the reporters' table, directly in front of her.

The Cusumano woman—she is thirty-one and looks every day of it—has little of the Italian in her appearance, for all that eight or nine years ago she came from Sciacca in Sicily to marry Frank Cusumano. Lena's color is that of the mulatto, an effect heightened by the way her hair pushes out from either side of the head in wooly-looking bushes. Her high cheek bones are those of the North American Indian, her thick lips again suggest the African.

Witnesses come and go, tell their stories to the lawyers who have called them and who know what they are going to say, are mildly and politely cross-examined by the other side—the trial has been a very model of good feeling up to this time—and go away again. Lena Cusumano apparently takes little notice. She asks no questions. When she walks out of the court room with Simmons at recess the spectators see that she is a big woman, not fleshy but large of bone. You will not forget her eyes.

Marshall Looks Younger.

You look from the woman in the case to the man in the case and you get a shock.

Harry Marshall looks six years younger than Mrs. Cusumano's age. He wears his hair pompadour. He sports a grand opera moustache. A great purple tie emphasizes like a housewife, prematurely aged. The man may have been known in his own circles as a Beau Brummel.

Marshall, or Mascioli, knows what the witnesses are saying, or, at least, he gets the import of it all. He seems to drink in the red of his cheeks. The woman looks every word from every witness, the suggestions of the court, the polite little differences of opinion between counsel.

The allegations of the Commonwealth, as set before the jury by Assistant District Attorney Katzman, make up a case as full of horrors and thrills as anything you have listened to, but because the parties interested are foreigners there is little public excitement about it. Thus far, only the idlers among the people of Plymouth have gone to the trial. The town has a big Italian population, but it has always been too industrious to get into the criminal courts on its own account, and it is too busy to go to the courthouse for the Cusumano case. There is genuine sympathy among the Italian people of Plymouth, however, for the little old mother from Moon street.

Slowly the government is following up the detailed opening presentation by Mr. Katzman with the testimony of many witnesses.

The Commonwealth says that all went well with the Cusumanos and their three children until Enrico Mascioli came to the house as a boarder.

Cusumano was well liked by his wife's people. Most of them thought him the model husband and father. In 1909 he removed his family to Hull. In April of last year he finished the construction of a new single family house on H street. He was an expert in concrete and granolithic work, and he was Martin Jacobson's foreman, sometimes with twenty or more men under him.

The government says that on Sunday, September 18, Cusumano had returned to the house from the water and was in his chamber exchanging a bathing suit for street attire, when Lena entered, Marshall crouching behind her, and Cusumano was attacked from behind with an axe. The children, the Commonwealth contends, had been given five pennies to go out and buy candy.

The government has promised to show that the body was buried in a sand lot across the way, and that for a long time Harry Marshall walked past in the early morning and late at night until, fearing detection, he dug the body up again and threw it heavily weighted into the sea.

Child May Be a Witness.

Daily the tragedy is being re-enacted before the woman's eyes. Witnesses come and go, but Lena of the big black eyes sits there beside a court officer with eyes straight ahead.

She has been told that one of her sisters will take the stand to tell of her alleged confession. They say her eyes flashed when she heard this. They have told her that Accusela, her eldest, nine years old, will also be brought to the stand. When they told her this, Lena of the black eyes bit her lip.

She has cried only once. That was when Fred Katzman had concluded his opening address to the jury, a detailed sketch of what the Commonwealth would try to prove. Her friends say the tears came from a realization of her position; that she couldn't have understood more than a small part of the presentation.

First of all, the defence insists that the body washed up at Sunset Point, Friday, October 14, nearly a month after the mysterious disappearance of Frank Cusumano, was not that of Cusumano at all.

If she listens and hears and understands Lena Cusumano gives no sign. Ever the big black eyes are pointed straight ahead. They do not turn even to watch nine-year-old Accusela dart in and out of the courtroom—Accusela who, courthouse gossip says, will be called to the stand against her mother.

Amid Pilgrim Environment.

Harry Mascioli, dandified, pompadoured, grand opera mustached, watches and hears everything. His interest seems to be impersonal. This is all wonderful, this trial, and he would not miss a word of it!

At the recess you see Pilgrim Hall, out here on Court street, rich with relics of the Pilgrims. You remember that John Carver's name led all the rest on the passenger list of the Mayflower. When you return to the courthouse—built in 1820—you observe with renewed interest the name of Joseph Carver on the list of jurors.

Then you think of the strange case in which all these later pilgrims—the pilgrims from Italy—are interested, and you glance confusedly about the old court room, noting first the jurors and then the attorneys in frock coats, and the court officers in uniform, and the buff-colored vest of Sheriff Porter, and the slick-looking Chief of Police of Hull, until your eyes rest for a moment on the little old mother from Moon street, moving back and forth, almost imperceptibly in her grief and, you feel sure, asking the intercession of the Mother of Sorrows.

So you go out and leave it all, and walk around the beautiful old town in its Winter dress and bleak winds, here and there almost run to earth by little Pilgrims on bob sleds.

But you don't forget the little old woman from Moon street, in the North End of Boston. Always there is a mother to suffer for us.

CLEMENT MAKES DEBUT IN MANON

THE CAST

Manon Lescaut	*Frances Alda*
Poussette	*Ruby Savage*
Javotte	*Jeska Swartz*
Rosette	*Anna Roberts*
La Servante	*Lucette De Lievin*
Le Chevalier Des Grieux	*Edmond Clement*
Lescaut	*Rodolfo Fornari*
Le Comte Des Grieux	*Jose Mardones*
Guillot De Morfontaine	*Leo Devaux*
De Bretigny	*Pierre Letol*
L'Hotelier	*Luigi Tavecchia*
Deux Gardes	*C. Stroesco, Frederick Huddy*

By FREDERICK JOHNS.

Another successful production was added to the long repertory of the Boston Opera Company when the "Manon" of Massenet was sung for the first time.

In magnificence of scenery and costumes, it was a truly remarkable production, and in the character and reputation of its singers this "Manon" could hardly have been surpassed in Paris.

Edward Clement, who is undoubtedly one of the very best tenors of the French school now on the lyric stage, was fortunately available for this opera, and his debut in Boston had been awaited with almost as much interest as "Manon."

Massenet composed "Manon" in 1884 when he was young, enthusiastic and bubbling with melody. It is as great a favorite in Paris to-day as ever, and if any of his works achieves immortality this little opera is apt to be the one.

Music Dainty and Sparkling.

It is founded on the novel of Abbe Prevost, but the librettist took all kinds of liberties with the romance. Massenet did not attempt to write a great tragedy, it is really only an incident that Manon happens to die. Until the last act "Manon" is unmistakably opera-comique, even to the spoken dialogue.

The music is dainty, sparkling, bewitching, frequently sentimental, but seldom great.

Frances Alda created the part of Manon. When one got over the feeling that a sixteen-year-old girl on her way to a convent should not be portly, he began to admire Alda's Manon. Here was a young person whose character was light. She was willing to talk to any man who encouraged her, and the reason she did not elope with old Guillot was because Des Grieux happened along when the old gentleman's back was turned and carried her off himself.

With such a beginning it was easy to see why she threw off her lover and accepted the attentions of several others, why she chased Des Grieux into a monastery and when she had recaptured him led him to a gambling house. But it must be admitted that she did not look like a dying woman in the last act. She seemed quite healthy.

Madame Alda sang extremely well at times and yet often wandered off into the realms of untunefulness.

Clement Has Rich Voice.

Clement proved to be an attractive looking young man with a very pleasant voice, which he used in the conventional French manner. He did not seem sure of himself in the first act, but thereafter sang in a masterly fashion. His voice is rich, sweet, clear and of good size. His phrasing is admirable and his art was displayed wonderfully in the tenor aria of the second act.

Jose Mardones, as the father of Des Grieux, sang sonorously and impressively. Fornari surprised those who know his merits by singing coarsely as Lescaut and, with Pierre Letol, succeeded in making a hash of the beautiful quartet in the second act when they intrude upon Manon and her lover.

Ruby Savage, Jeska Swartz and Anna Roberts sang delightfully together as the three coquettes, while Leo Devaux was excellent as Guillot.

Great Light Effects.

Andre Caplet has spent much time on this production, but the first performance cannot be said to have gone exactly as he would wish. There was lack of cohesion between the singers and orchestra, there was much singing out of tune and roughness in the instruments. "Manon" is such dainty music that such things were noticeable, but Caplet should be able to apply a polish by the next performance.

The man who manages the lights and the inventor of the sunset, which took place in the last act, ought to be called before the curtain with the principals. The fading of daylight on sea and land has never been better pictured than upon the back drop of the final scene.

FRENCH TENOR WHO TRIUMPHED ON DEBUT IN BOSTON

EDMOND CLEMENT

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Official notice has been given to clerks in the railway mail service that on the lines where their work is heavy continuously for six days each week the standard of the service shall be considered as six hours.

NOTED BEAUTY ASKS DIVORCE

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Feb. 16.—Through the filing of an order of Supreme Court Judge Isaac N. Mills of Mount Vernon directing the publication of a summons and complaint, it became known today that Mrs. Marjorie Burns Love has brought suit for absolute divorce from her husband, Sidney C. Love, a former prominent broker and society man of Chicago and New York and now the owner of a gold mine near Seattle.

According to the papers on file in the county clerk's office, Mr. Love was last living in Baker City, Ore. As the papers could not be served on him in this State, the complaint of his wife is served by publication on the Supreme Court order. The couple were married in Chicago in 1907, and it is said that Mrs. Love has not seen her husband in two years. In 1909 she sailed for Europe to visit relatives, and seven days later her husband also went to Europe. She saw him in England and in August when he returned to this country, but since then she has not seen him.

The domestic troubles of Sidney Love began at about the time the society broker dropped $2,000,000 in a wheat deal. His wife was declared by Burne-Jones, the famous English artist, to be the most beautiful woman in the world. The domestic troubles of the young broker, his friends at first declared, were trivial, and they predicted that the couple would soon be together again.

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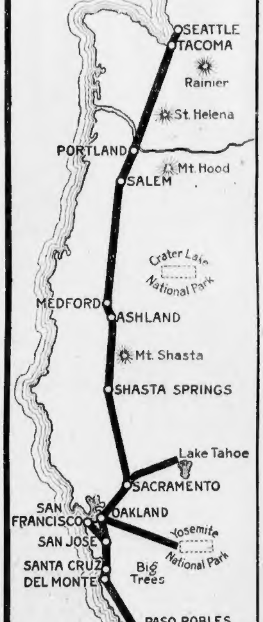

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TORIES QUOTE HEARST IN RECIPROCITY FIGHT

By WILLIAM HOSTER.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 16.—Champ Clark's annexation talk has lighted the Tory beacon fires all over. It supplies the reciprocity opposition with material for the one effective argument they have against the trade pact with the United States. On this they will make their last stand.

The speech, in consequence, has been flashed from one end of Canada to the other. All the opposition newspapers printed it under display head lines.

It was made the subject of Parliament inquiry in the House of Commons to-day, where also Mr. Burrell of British Columbia, concluding his address against the agreement quoted on the floor of the House, an alleged utterance of William Randolph Hearst, favorable to political union with Canada through trade reciprocity.

Similarly the editorial of the AMERICAN which the Toronto News printed a few days ago as evidence of Mr. Hearst's advocacy of annexation and therefore as evidence of the state of public sentiment in the United States, which Mr. Hearst is declared to reflect accurately is being sent out to all the provincial newspapers, and by them reprinted to fan the flames of alleged patriotism against the Knox-Fielding agreement.

President Taft's repudiation of the annexation talk, which is printed in all the government newspapers, is regarded merely as a blind by the Tory opposition.

"Clark," they declare, "has let the cat out of the bag. It was to be expected that President Taft would hasten to deny all thought of annexation. But the facts speak for themselves."

Laurier in Control.

Sir Wilfred Laurier declines to take seriously the talk of annexation. In industrial circles the view is taken that Clark was either having his joke or spoke in excess of fervor.

The view of the Liberal members of Parliament is expressed in the statement of Mr. Wilson, member from New Brunswick. Discussing the situation with the AMERICAN correspondent, he said, "There can be no marriage without the consent of both parties. We are too old a nation now to be abducted and married without our consent. Canada does not want annexation."

As the matter rests, Sir Wilfred Laurier is still leading his party in line for the pact; and it can be said authoritatively that he has no idea of receding. A word of caution may be advisable to the statesmen at Washington, however, who are sincerely in favor of the success of reciprocity plans.

Laurier is in absolute control of the government forces, which represent a majority of at least forty for the trade pact. He will be reasonably able to hold that majority to the end.

But in the event of a great popular uprising such as the Tory newspapers are frantically calling for, it is impossible to say what might eventuate. Sir Wilfrid has to guard carefully his administration and see to it that his government does not lose popular faith.

Annexation talk ran through every line of the resumed debate on reciprocity in the House of Commons to-day. Clark's name rose out of the buzz of every group of members.

Mr. Hughes, reading from a Montreal paper, which published the most sensational account of the speech, called the attention of the government to the remarks and asked if any notice would be taken of it. Mr. Hughes is an insurgent among the Tories. In vigor and blunt speech he might well be compared with Champ Clark. He is also a veteran of the South African war in which he performed extraordinary feats of valor.

Laurier Raises Laugh.

It was a situation which might easily have led to excitement and turmoil in the Commons, and there is good reason for the statement that the Tory party was looking forward to a patriotic outburst. But Sir Wilfrid Laurier has sat in Parliament—provincial and national—for thirty-seven years. He rose to reply with a smile on his face.

"We are not aware that the situation is such as has been described," he began. "We have no information as to any such intention."

"But what is to be done?" Colonel Hughes insisted. "If the worst comes to the worst," responded Sir Wilfrid blandly, "we shall call on the gallant soldier, the honorable member, to act for us."

Even Colonel Hughes joined in the laugh that followed. "Does the first minister give me the commission?" he asked. "If so, I will leave for Washington at once."

But the premier had already resumed his seat.

Mr. Middlebora attempted to pursue the topic. "If this is true," he demanded, "what will be the attitude of the government?"

"I have already answered," said Sir Wilfrid, and the incident was closed with a laugh.

The Tories, however, persisted in nursing the Clark speech. Mr. Burrell sought to show from the utterances of American public men that behind the plan for reciprocity is a none too skilfully concocted scheme to annex Canada to the United States.

Quotes Hearst.

He quoted recent remarks of President Taft, Representative McCall, of the Ways and Means Committee, who described the the reciprocal trade agreement as another Louisiana purchase; senator Beveridge and finally, "Mr. W. R. Hearst says," he continued, "let us have commercial union first and political union afterward."

"Now surely," cried Mr. Burrell, "no man can avoid seeing where the Canadian people are drifting in this matter. Canada is literally to be the hewer of wood, the drawer of water, the purveyor of food to the powerful nation which aims by such an arrangement to be the great workshop of the continent. The prime minister, willing to go one step, will soon be willing or be forced to take the other."

One of the most telling speeches yet delivered on either side since the debate opened was made by Hugh Guthrie, Liberal member for South Wellington, Toronto. He delivered a crushing blow at the annexation argument.

Most of Mr. Guthrie's remarks were quite evidently intended as refutations of the statements that annexation looms behind reciprocity.

"It is a simple international bargain," he declared, "based on good faith. It is not a treaty. If anything better for us develops at the approaching colonial conference we are free to take it."

The speaker declared the reciprocal agreement gives Canada tremendous advantages over those she enjoys at present and it does not interfere in any way with Canada's standing with Great Britain. He made this striking declaration: "Canada in the world politics of empire is the gauge of friendship between Great Britain and the United States."

Papers Score Clark.

He ridiculed the argument that by this agreement the United States will sap Canada of all her natural resources. "If the United States wanted our ore, our forests, our cattle or our wheat at any time during the past fifty years, all that it was necessary for them to do was to take off their tariff and that is all they are doing now," he said.

The Toronto Globe, printing Champ Clark's picture, says of him: "The Speaker to be of the next Congress may be 'long' on the sentiment of the United States, but he is exceedingly 'short' on Canadian and British sentiment. The Ottawa Free Press hails him as the "man who is trying to qualify for the Presidency of the United States by talking through his hat."

The Toronto Star's broadside says:

"President Taft, who intends to go to the polls again next year, is straining every nerve to push through a scheme which he knows the people want. He has not been so outspoken as Mr. Clark, for he is a more practical diplomat.

"There was an annexationist movement in 1812 and we mean no unfriendliness to our neighbors in recalling the fact that the men of the day gave their answer at Queenstown Heights and Chateauguay. But that is ancient history. Most of us to-day are more interested in peace missions and celebrations of a century which has not heard a hostile shot. There is no danger to-day that our neighbors would march against us. We are not recalling the old times to suggest such a thing. Friendship between the two great Anglo-Saxon unions of nations is at this hour the best international asset of both. We hold up both hands for friendship. We are glad the old days are dead. But we are no more ready to give up to-day that for which our fathers were eager to die than were they when Canadian independence had to be defended with bullets and not ballots."

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Groundhog Gets Even; Puts Turtle in the Soup

THERES MY FRIEND THE GROUND-HOG I GUESS SPRING IS HERE!
H.M. Martin

Alongside a stone fence near the stream that is a source of water supply for Lynnfield a ground hog is chuckling to-day as he looks out over the snowy wastes. There is a large snapping turtle that is in the possession of Game Warden Smith, which is not chuckling, for that turtle will soon be soup.

While there appears to be no connection between the two incidents the story begins along back last Summer, when the town was full of Summer boarders, eating case eggs, canned asparagus and cold storage chicken.

It was then that a lot of school teachers boarding at a farmhouse watched the ground hog as he came from his hole in the hedge and fed on the cabbage plants their landlord had set out in the garden patch.

Many Educated Witnesses.

They watched him go down to the stream to drink and likened him unto the cutest Teddy bear they had ever seen. It was while he had both fore feet in the water and his nose thrust far into the slowly moving stream that they heard him squeal. They saw he had been seized by a very large snapping turtle.

So far as known, this was the first and the last encounter of the pair. The girls beat the turtle and the ground hog pulled away, leaving part of his nose in the mouth of the turtle. This was proven, because afterward where he nibbled the cabbage plants there was evidence to show that his wounded nose still bled a trifle. While the farmer looked at his pole beans, sighed, and wished the hog would die the Summer boarders hoped he would recover.

Before the election of William Henry Howard Taft it would have been impossible to write this story without having some one in Washington make an unkind remark about it and refer to his friend John Burroughs to back him up. But now the truth may be told without fear of censure.

Time went on as Time will do, and the ground hog was forgotten until the day he was to appear and forecast either a continuance of cold weather or the breaking up of Winter.

In the stream the turtle hunted the places where the water seemed warm and waited for signs of Spring. There were no water bugs, no good fat flies, no worms floating down stream to feed upon and he was thinking to himself that it was a hard, cold Winter.

"Con Game" on the Turtle.

Then on the day the weather forecaster for the animal kingdom made his appearance the turtle was happy to see him out and see him stay out. It is likely the turtle even felt sorry for the bite it had inflicted last Summer.

The little con game of the ground hog

ILL GET EVEN FOR THIS'
HGM

that gave joy to the heart of the commuter and caused Cartoonist Powers to draw signs of Spring and make arrangements for his plowing, worked also with the turtle. He came out of the mud and stayed out. Then the stream froze again and he had no home and no snow shoes. He was caught yesterday trying to climb a hill, and will go into the soup pot. That is why the ground hog is laughing. He has "put one over" on the turtle that bit him last Summer.

The turtle is to be soup, already three guests have been invited to dine upon him. They are Hap Ward of Lynnfield and Mr. Moffatt of Danvers, and Mr. Smith of Wakefield.

CRANE LEADER ON RECIPROCITY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—It was learned here to-day that a long conference had been held last night between President Taft and Senator W. Murray Crane of Massachusetts on the subject of Canadian reciprocity.

Senator Crane is reported to have advised the President that the reciprocity agreement will pass the Senate in practically its original form, and to have assured him that he personally will serve as the administration's whip on the floor to insure its passage.

Though no confessions of weakness have emanated from the White House, it is thoroughly understood here that President Taft is not any too well pleased with the prospects of the agreement in the Senate Finance Committee. Two of the leading members of this committee are Senators Burrows of Michigan and Hale of Maine.

Both Bitterly Opposed.

Both are bitterly opposed to it, and both being "lame ducks," as those members who fail of re-election are termed, are beyond the reach of even presidential influence.

President Taft is worried over the grueling the measure is certain to get at the hands of Burrows and Hale and some of their "standpat" colleagues. His chief fear is that when it is finally reported back to the Senate it will reappear so loaded down with amendments as to be unrecognizable.

In the absence of Senator Aldrich, Burrows undoubtedly will preside over the deliberations of the Finance Committee and will exert all the power that the position gives him to delay or emasculate the agreement.

He will be ably seconded by Hale. Both are at the end of their political careers and no question of policy will temper their actions. They have expressed their opposition to the measure time after time, and now that the opportunity offers they are expected to prove their hostility. They believe with Speaker Cannon that President Taft is making a colossal blunder politically in his advocacy of reciprocity; that he is playing directly into the hands of the Democrats and dealing the Republican policy of protection its death blow. Their course in committee will be governed accordingly.

Secretary Knox's Speech.

Secretary Knox's speech in Chicago last evening expressed the sentiments of President Taft on the matter of the benefits to be derived from reciprocity. Secretary Knox said:

"Recognizing the conditions which exist in our own country, and without undertaking to define the causes which have led to the increased cost of living, the agreement seeks to give our millions of wage-earning consumers the benefit of drawing upon the surplus food supplies nearest at hand. It seeks, by providing for the freest possible interchange of commodities across a political boundary, to prevent those manipulations and those speculative fluctuations in prices which are harmful both to the producer and to the consumer."

FARM PAPERS TO FIGHT NEW RATE

By JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES.

Editorial Correspondent of the Boston American.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Professor Charles W. Burkett, editor of the American Agriculturist, the leading farm journal of the world, on being asked his opinion of the postal rates situation after Postmaster-General Hitchcock's statement that farm papers would not be included in the four cents a pound rate, stated that the position of the farm papers was just the same as it was before.

"Farm papers are emphatically opposed to this amendment," he said. "They were against it in the first place because of the principle at stake and the side-stepping of Postmaster-General Hitchcock did not change the proposition at all. It is unjust legislation.

"This amendment purposes to put in the hands of the Post Office Department the future of free speech. It establishes a press censorship.

"This is wrong. To what are we coming if a Washington bureau is given the right to dictate as to what a paper may be or what it is to publish? Shall our editors become mere errand boys of a partisan administration?

"Farm papers have spoken out straight from the shoulder in the past, and the seven million farm voters expect them to continue to do this.

"Farmers do not want their editors to be at the mercy of a Washington bureau. They want them to be free. They want a free, untrammelled press. Consequently the agricultural papers will stand united in opposing this infamous legislative scheme that would stifle free expression of opinion, be it in a farm paper, a technical journal, a religious periodical or a popular magazine."

What President Samuel W. Gompers says:

"The popular magazines of the United States have been the stimulating force which has roused the conscience of our people and the attempt of Postmaster General Hitchcock to interfere with these vehicles of thought and development which a raise in second-class postage means, will be opposed by all the power of the American Federation of Labor.

"We have fought cunning before in legislative riders and our weapons are simply the ballots of one million and three-quarters of honest toilers. It is too late in the day to tax intelligence or to hobble inquiry.

"Hunting for work is a discouraging situation and we will do everything possible to keep public officials from adding to the army of the unemployed by hampering the industries which supply our wage earners with employment."

32D ANNIVERSARY OF FORESTER ORDER

To-day is the thirty-second anniversary of the founding of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters. The first meeting was held in Rutland Hall, on Washington street, near Rutland street, Sunday afternoon, February 16, 1878, with D. F. O'Sullivan, now a resident of Franklin, presiding. About sixty men were present. F. A. Lawler, president, while pleased over the fact that the order has grown to 32,000 members and has expended $5,000,000 for relief and benefits, believes that it still has much work to do.

MT. IDA COURT TO HOLD DANCING PARTY

The first dancing party and reception by Mt. Ida Court, M. C. O. F., will be held to-morrow night at Bloomfield Hall, Geneva avenue. Thomas N. Duntcan will be chairman of the reception committee, and the officers of the dance are: Representative James J. McElaney, floor director; J. Frank Doherty, Edward I. Donohue and Joseph J. Dignan, assistants. Mt. Ida Court of Foresters was recently organized and is composed principally of young men of Meeting House Hill district, Dorchester.

TWIN BROTHERS TAKE TWIN SISTER BRIDES

KOKOMO, Ind., Feb. 16.—Twin brothers and twin sisters were married here to-day. The brides and bridegrooms are Delmar Johnson and Miss Kate M. Clark, and Dalton Johnson and Miss Lulu A. Clark.

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ELLIOTT TO GET GOULD'S PLACE

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Howard Elliott, president of the Northern Pacific Railroad, is said to be considering an offer of the presidency of the Missouri Pacific, from which George J. Gould has been ousted. It is understood that James J. Hill suggested Elliott as Gould's successor.

The mention of Mr. Elliott is regarded with greater interest because it is known that when Mr. Gould appreciated that his control of the road was about to be contested, he went to Hill and sought his help. Mr. Hill is said to have considered taking a hand, but meanwhile the Kuhn, Loeb-Rockefeller plans took definite form, and Mr. Hill assumed a neutral position, but at the same time approved the change.

The withdrawal of Gould leaves the Gould family without a dominant voice in railroad affairs and means that but few of the properties left by Jay Gould are now in the family.

The following changes in the board of the Missouri Pacific will result:

Old members retained—George J. Gould, Fred T. Gates, Cornelius Vanderbilt, E. T. Jeffery, Edwin Gould, Kingdon Gould, J. J. Slocum, W. K. Bixby, O. L. Garrison.

New members—Paul M. Warburg, Edgar L. Marston, E. D. Adams and the new president.

Old members dropped—Howard Gould, Charles S. Clark, S. F. Pryor, R. M. Gallaway.

Four Gould Men.

The four distinctly Gould men who remain are George J. Gould, his son, Kingdon Gould; Edwin Gould and Mr. Jeffery. The other members of the old board are acceptable to the new interests and are expected to work in close co-operation with them. Thus the Goulds will have only four out of thirteen directors. Of those retiring Mr. Gould's brother Howard, Mr. Clark and Mr. Pryor are employes of the road, subordinate to Mr. Gould, and Mr. Gallaway is president of the Merchants' National Bank.

The disintegration of the Gould control of a great system of railways began with the receiverships of several of the Gould lines after the 1907 panic. The first to be reorganized was the Western Maryland, and it was re-established as a Rockefeller line. The Wabash-Pittsburg Terminal and the Wheeling & Lake Erie are two other Gould roads that have been turned over to the protection of the courts. These are still awaiting reorganization, and it is not believed that the Goulds can hope to control the reorganized company.

Wabash Control in Danger.

The Gould control of the Wabash railroad is also regarded as threatened by rival holders of stock. Included among their other lines are the International & Great Northern, another of the roads which went into receivership in 1908; the Texas & Pacific and the St. Louis Southwestern. The first of these two last named passed the interest on its income bonds in 1908 and to-day again voted to pass it, and the St. Louis Southwestern, which began the payment of dividends on its preferred stock in 1909, increased the rate to 5 per cent. in 1910 and reduced it to 4 per cent. in January this year. Last year the Goulds sold out their interest in the Western Union Telegraph Company, a property long identified with the Gould name.

Up to a short time before he went into conference with the Kuhn, Loeb & Company interests to-day, Mr. Gould professed to be ignorant of any plans to end his complete control of Missouri Pacific.

The news that the contest for control had come to end was made the occasion for selling of Missouri Pacific stock, which carried the price down from 63, a new high price on this movement, to 59½, which was within three-eighths of Tuesday's closing price. At the close it stood at 59⅝, a net gain of one-half, after trading in approximately 70,000 shares.

$650 FOR INJURED FOOT.

Jeremiah J. McCarthy of Brookline, who brought suit against the Boston Elevated Railway for $10,000 for injuries received on September 11, 1909, when he was thrown frmo a car while alighting at Brookline avenue and Washington street, Brookline, the car passing over his left foot, to-day settled his case while it was being tried at the Norfolk County courthouse in Dedham for $650.

CHURCH FIGHTS SUNDAY CHANGE

The influence of the leaders of Catholic thought in Massachusetts has been brought to bear against the bill to "open up" Sunday—to make it a day for sports and public exhibitions.

Fear that the bill may be used as an entering wedge to destroy the sanctity of the Sabbath was voiced at a hearing before the committee having the bill in charge by the Rev. Father Ambrose F. Roche of Watertown, representing Archbishop O'Connell.

Father Roche said:

The church authorities do not remonstrate in any spirit of fanaticism, but they realize that there is an appropriate time for these games, and they are certain that the Lord's Day is not that time. They realize that during most of the season when baseball can be played school is not in session, and therefore that the children should be fully satisfied to rest at least one day out of seven; that the business day is constantly being shortened; that Saturday afternoon is almost generally a half-holiday, and that many employers are tormented by the craze for pleasure prevailing among those whom they pay to attend to work.

Could Call on Young Ladies.

"The tendency is toward more holidays, and if the baseball hunger is not appeased by concessions, a way can be found through public legislation of custom to devote Wednesday afternoon to recreation instead of to business. As it occurs in the middle of the week it would be more restful than Sunday. Of course some business men would object to losing that half day, but they have five other days for business, and we have only one day for the Lord, and even that some sports and their thoughtless friends wish to take away. It is ours, and we intend to defend it, and to maintain it.

"The objection is made that something must be done to keep the young men from loafing on the street corners. They can go to church, to the magnificent and costly park system, provided for recreation, to the beaches, to the libraries, art museums, club rooms, or can call upon thousands of charming young ladies who would be delighted to lend their influence for the protection and refinement of these lonesome youths.

Objects to Noise.

"We object to professional baseball on the Lord's Day. It is a commercial enterprise, and if it should be allowed it will be a valid argument for Sunday drama, theatrical performances, prize fights, wrestling matches, football and every other form of entertainment. It will encourage mercantile concerns to demand equal rights to open their places of business on Sunday and the proprietors of factories, workshops and saloons will not be slow to follow the example given.

"We object to amateur baseball on the Lord's Day. Everybody who understands the game knows that it is a very noisy affair, replete with disputes and wrangling. This is especially true when the clubs competing belong in different districts, towns or cities. To legalize Sunday baseball means the concourse of shouting and frequently of blaspheming and riotous crowds of people in every town and city in the State, and this is certainly inconsistent with the due observance of the Lord's Day."

1,000 TELEGRAPHERS TO BE PENSIONED

More than 1,000 telegraph operators now in active service as employes of the Western Union are to be retired on a pension, according to a dispatch received here. Officers of the company decided to adopt the pension system some six months ago. At that time slips were given to all the telegraphers in its employ, to fill out in regard to length of service, age and other details. These slips have since been collected, verified and filed. Full details of the pension system will be forthcoming in a few days, it is expected.

TAFT TO SIGN FOREST BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—With President Taft's signature assured to the bill for which New England has toiled seemingly in vain for the last ten years, there is rejoicing to-day among the legislators who have made possible the preservation of the water power sites and forests of New England.

Every New England Senator voted for the measure this time; two years ago it was an outcast in the Upper House. The force of public opinion, guided by the work of the leaders in Massachusetts and strengthened by the last campaign in New Hampshire, made the victory possible.

Here are some of the things the bill does:

Government to buy $11,000,000 of forest area.

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The measure provides that New England and the South shall have a share in the government's conservation plans, plans which until now have applied only to the West. Millions of acres of timber lands in the White Mountains of New Hampshire and in the great Appalachian range section will be reserved under the bill.

During the first year $1,000,000 is to be expended in taking up available properties. For the next five years $2,000,000 are to be expended. Not only will virgin forests be preserved, but water sheds will be saved and navigable streams protected against silt.

Commission in Charge.

The carrying into effect of the provisions of the bill is placed in the hands of a commission to be composed of the Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Interior, the Secretary of Agriculture and two Senators and two members of the House of Representatives.

The purchase of land is placed in the hands of the Secretary of Agriculture and is confined to such areas as may affect the head waters of navigable systems. No purchase is to be authorized until passed up by the geological survey. The land once acquired it is to be cut up into forest reserves as may seem best for administrative purposes. Authority for co-operation with different States is given.

WHAT BOSTON LEADERS THINK OF WEEKS BILL

Prominent workers for conservation gave out the following interviews on the success of the Weeks bill:

GOVERNOR EUGENE N. FOSS:

"The bill is one in which I am and have always been deeply interested. I voted for it when I was in Congress, and I consider it in every way a very excellent measure.

"It is a measure that tends toward conservation. Taken together with the measure for reciprocity, it is one of the most important.

"It will enable us to build up our forests after the long destructive period during which we have torn them down. Altogether it is in my opinion a wise measure of conservation."

FORMER GOVERNOR CURTIS GUILD, JR.:

"The result might well be highly satisfactory to all of us who have worked for so many years that the policy of conservation of forests so successful in Germany and Sweden might become also the policy of the United States.

"This is a triumph not merely for the preservation of timber supply, water supply and the quality of climate. It is also a splendid manifestation of the national spirit. The Southern Atlantic States have stood side by side with the Northern Atlantic States, and in this movement we are where we were when Morgan and his riflemen came from the South and when General Greene and his New Englanders went to the South in the days of the Revolution against the common enemy."

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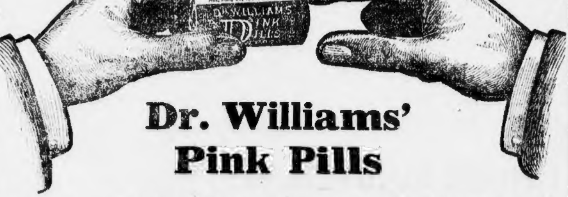

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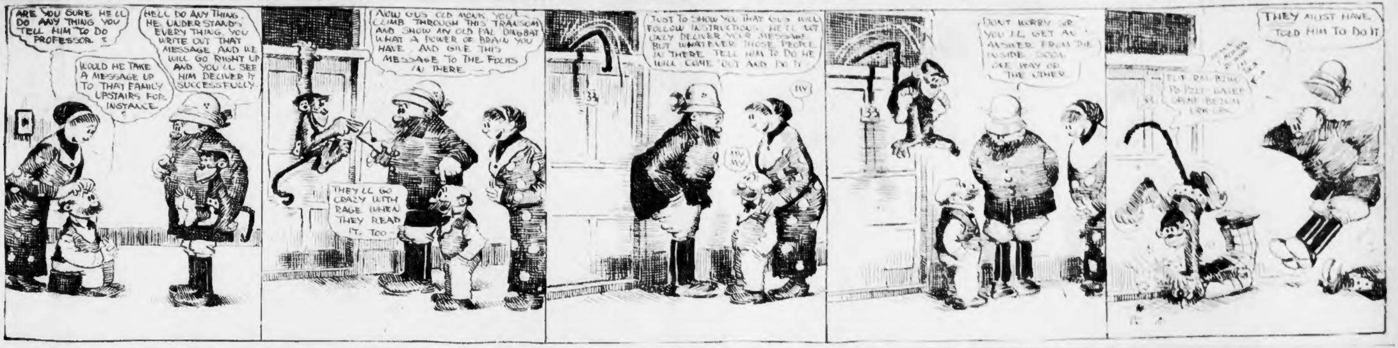
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DON'T WORRY SIR YOU'LL GET AN ANSWER FROM THE INSIDE SOON ONE WAY OR THE OTHER
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MAJOR LEAGUE CLUBS NEED MENDING FOR 1911

By HUGH S. FULLERTON.

Clark Griffith has picked Chicago and **Cincinnati** to fight for the National League pennant this season.

Grif is confident that Grant will be in **the** fold, and that his weakness at third **base** has been remedied.

The doctors of the American and National League clubs are ready to go to work to patch up the weak spots, and Grif already is proclaiming a cure.

This time, just before the opening of the training season, is the best time to study the weaknesses of teams, because the training season is all aimed toward patching up the weak points. Without entering at all into the weaknesses of the men who are certain to hold steady jobs, let us see what the teams need most:

The Cubs evidently are seeking to strengthen third base and the pitching department. Chance practically is satisfied with the rest of his team. Pittsburg is beginning to decay badly, the old stars going to pieces, and Clarke, as usual, is desperately in need of a first baseman. He also need a centre fielder, although he has a lot of good material to patch up outfield weaknesses.

New York Weak at Bat.

New York is weak behind the bat and needs another pitcher, although the pitching staff looks pretty good. McGraw probably will stand pat on his infield and depend upon Devore keeping up his pace, and Snodgrass also for the outfield. Merkle is not a finished first sacker, but he is improving.

Griffith needs pitchers badly and a shortstop. He can worry along pretty well for the rest of the way. Brooklyn must patch up the third base side of the diamond, both at the sack and at shortstop. Lennox, who promised a lot the first year out, failed to make good and drew a release to Louisville. Shortstop needs patching, too.

Brooklyn would have been a factor in the fight last season with a little strength at short and third. At least twenty games that should have been won leaked through there, and McMillen, when he was playing short for the Dodgers, threw away five games to the Cubs alone—three in one series—that Brooklyn ought to have won.

Good Chance for Tenney.

St. Louis needs two outfielders. The pitchers are young, but appear to be developing, and Bresnahan probably will produce a strong crop before he is through. He pays more attention to the selection of pitchers and to their coaching than to anything else.

Philadelphia must have a first baseman, for Kitty Bransfield is going fast.

Boston is the lightweight team of the circuit, and Tenney has a great chance to improve it, even by judicious selection among the minor leagues.

It needs strengthening all around, possibly excepting left field and first base. There is not a really high-class player in the entire team.

The American League doctors have even a harder problem. The Athletics, although world's champions, need a left fielder badly and a first baseman. Mack probably will stand pat on his batteries, with an effort to strengthen the catchers and secure one pitcher.

I do not expect Russell to set the league afire his first season, although he may. Harry Davis is about done, and Strunk needs more seasoning. Mack has a lot of surplus material to weave in, but must change some of his regulars.

New York is an odd club. It needs a shortstop and a third baseman—and the outfield is mediocre. Chase probably will line up at least one new outfielder.

Boston in Bad Shape.

Boston is all shot to pieces. Manager Donovan will have to rebuild, develop a new first baseman and a new right fielder. He needs pitchers, as usual, although the team looks better in that department than it did a year ago.

The loss of Stahl is going to hurt, and Purtell will hardly fill third to the form of Lord. Taylor has a couple of million players on his list and will try them out in California, which means that Donovan will not know when he gets back whether or not he has a baseball club. He will have a hard time trying to pick players on that circuit.

The White Sox could use a first-class catcher to great advantage—and may have one before the season starts, as a trade is imminent. The Sox also must have a first baseman and one outfielder to look like a winning ball club.

The worst place Duffy has to mend is first base. With a good first-sacker the team could worry along and be formidable without any other changes. Cleveland began rebuilding last season—and looks bad. It needs bracing almost everywhere excepting second base and one outfielder.

Detroit needs a first baseman very badly and at least two pitchers. If Jennings succeeds in finding them and manages to tame Schmidt down and satisfy him the Tigers will be as dangerous as ever.

Washington must have a first baseman and one more pitcher, together with one outfielder. With a strong first baseman and a strong outfielder, Washington will be a troublesome and dangerous aggregation. As for St. Louis—it needs a baseball club.

WILLOUGHBY VICTOR IN COLUMBIA BOUT

Walter Willoughby of Cleveland, won from Ed. Rizen of Pittsburg, in the weekly wrestling bout at the Columbia. The latter came here with a big reputation, but he was up against a clever mat general.

Willoughby won largely because of his matchcraft. The match was fast and furious, but clean withal. Willoughby won the first fall in twenty-one minutes, with head scissors and waistlock, and the second in thirty-two minutes with reverse nelson. Rizen forced Willoughby to show all he knew, and that is a lot, and there are few men in the game who can push him so hard. The Pittsburg boy made such a good showing that he was matched to meet Stanley Karp of Buffalo next Wednesday night.

PENN FOOTBALL DATES.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 16.—The University of Pennsylvania football schedule as ratified by the faculty committee on athletics, is as follows: September 24, Gettysburg; 27, Franklin and Marshall; 30, Dickinson; October 7, Ursinus; 14, Villa Nova; 21, Brown; 28, State College; November 4, Carlisle Indians; 11, Lafayette; 18, Michigan at Ann Arbor; 30 (Thanksgiving Day), Cornell.

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Conflicts—Nine at Chicago—April 30, May 7, June 25, July 2, August 16, Sept. 3 and 10, October 7 and 8.

HARVARD READY FOR YALE GAME

The Harvard hockey seven is ready for the final struggle with Yale Saturday night at the St. Nicholas rink, New York. From present aspects, the game will be one of the hardest fought between the two ancient rivals for a long time, despite the fact that this year Harvard has an exceptionally fast seven.

Cheering news has been broken to the supporters of the Harvard seven, in the form that Captain Hornblower, at all times the leader of the Harvard attack, is recovered from the injury to his cheek bone and will be able to take part in the game with Elis, having been practicing with his team for the past several days. Leslie is back in the game, and his presence at wing will lend great strength to this department of the attack. Huntington has gone back to his position at cover, and with him and Foster in the game the defence will be well nigh impregnable.

From present indications, the game Saturday will be one in which the speed of a lighter team will be pitted against a strong defence, with the attack revolving about the Yale goal. Harvard's team is on the whole much lighter than Yale's and proportionately much faster.

Yale will rely on weight and body checking, while Harvard will place its dependence upon speed and cleverness in eluding and in carrying the puck. The defence of both teams is on a par apparently, but with Duncan and Hornblower, Harvard should prove far superior on the attack, and because of this the Crimson looks forward to a close victory.

The Yale defence will have its hands full taking care of Harvard's attack, while because of the fact that Yale's forwards are slower and more of the plugging variety, Huntington and Foster the Harvard defence should be able to aid in the onslaught on the Eli goal.

The Harvard team will leave Cambridge to-morrow taking the 10 o'clock for New York from Back Bay. They will practice at the St. Nicholas rink Friday evening, and stop at the Cumberland Hotel.

LAURIE BEATS YATTER.

Laurie won the first block of 300 in the 1000-point match with Mose Yatter for the championship of New England at 18.2 balk line billiards at Yatter's hall. Laurie had 300 to Yatter's 294. Laurie's high run was 28, and Yatter's 39.

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BOXES "FIGHTING GHOST."

Andy Morris, who is to meet Jack Fitzgerald at Manchester, N. H., February 22, is training with Frank Mantell, who meets the fighting ghost, Jeff Clark, in New Bedford. Clark is the fellow that Langford walloped to sleep in a round in Joplin, Mo.

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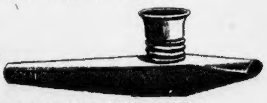

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Eddie Shevlin of Roxbury makes his re-entry into the boxing game to-night, when he tackles Harry Powers, the sensational Brooklyn boxer, in the feature bout at the Unity Club, Lawrence.

Much interest is manifested in the return of Shevlin to the battlefield. Many of his friends and admirers are going to the big rink in the Merrimac Valley. State street will be well represented, as Eddie has many followers among the stock brokers.

The Roxbury lad is in good shape. Before Young Donohue left for New York he sparred for a week or two with Shevlin and he tipped his friends that the form which Eddie was then displaying was a revelation to him.

"He can beat any welterweight in New England at present," said Donohue. "This fellow is strong, aggressive and clever and the most likely candidate that I can see for the welterweight title which is in dispute at present."

Powers is a tough customer. His recent battle with Jim Moriarty from which he emerged a victor is proof of his ability. Three good preliminaries have been arranged.

A big crowd of Roxbury and South End sports have arranged to see the match. They will leave town on the 7:05 train and return on the 10:35 train from Lawrence.

AMERICUS HERE FOR BATTLE WITH GOTCH

Americus, who is considered one of the best heavyweight wrestlers in the world, arrives in Boston to-day to finish training for his bout with Champion Frank Gotch at Mechanics Building Monday night. Joe Ierardi, the lightweight wrestling champion of Greater Boston, has been matched to meet one of the best Boston wrestlers in one of the preliminary bouts. Ali Hassan and John Perelli will meet in the other bout.

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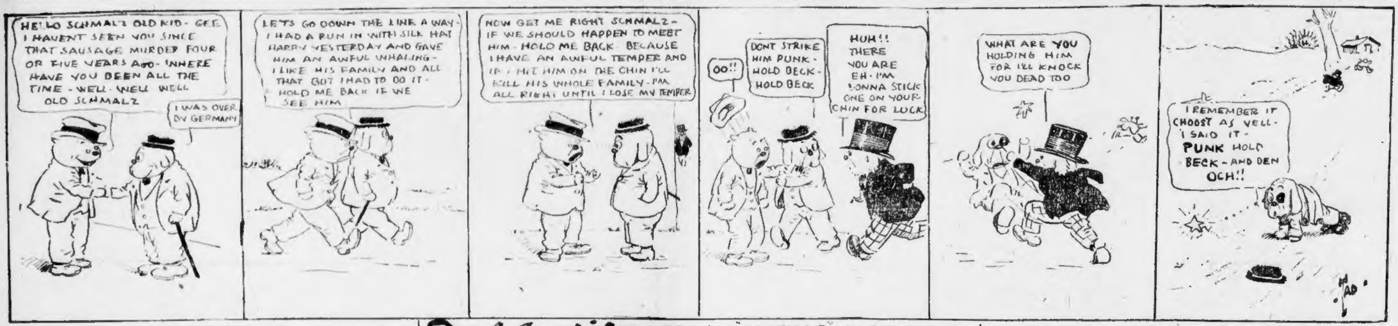
HELLO SCHMALZ OLD KID - GEE I HAVENT SEEN YOU SINCE THAT SAUSAGE MURDER FOUR OR FIVE YEARS AGO - WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN ALL THE TIME - WELL - WELL WELL OLD SCHMALZ
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LETS GO DOWN THE LINE A WAY - I HAD A RUN IN WITH SILK HAT HARRY YESTERDAY AND GAVE HIM AN AWFUL WHALING - I LIKE HIS FAMILY AND ALL THAT BUT I HAD TO DO IT - HOLD ME BACK IF WE SEE HIM
NOW GET ME RIGHT SCHMALZ - IF WE SHOULD HAPPEN TO MEET HIM - HOLD ME BACK BECAUSE I HAVE AN AWFUL TEMPER AND IF I HIT HIM ON THE CHIN I'LL KILL HIS WHOLE FAMILY - I'M ALL RIGHT UNTIL I LOSE MY TEMPER
OO!!
DONT STRIKE HIM PUNK - HOLD BECK - HOLD BECK
HUH!! THERE YOU ARE EH - I'M GONNA STICK ONE ON YOUR CHIN FOR LUCK
WHAT ARE YOU HOLDING HIM FOR I'LL KNOCK YOU DEAD TOO
I REMEMBER IT CHOOST AS VELL - I SAID IT - PUNK HOLD BECK - AND DEN OCH!!
TAD

STITCH IN TIME IN BASEBALL

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Although John Kling, the Cubs' famous catcher, did not play up to his best form in the world's series last Fall, he still receives credit for knowing all of the fine points behind the bat. Kling was asked the other day to give a talk of the scientific methods employed in baseball, and this is what he said:

"When I was a pitcher in semi-professional teams around Kansas City I lost many games by trying to do too much, by throwing too often and by wearing myself out by wasted efforts. I was a failure as a ball player in several towns before experience taught me that one play at the right instant is worth ten at any other time. It was the old stitch in time to save nine idea, but it did more for me than anything else to win games and to bring me up in the profession.

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$500,000 BONUS AND FREE BALLS

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—A half-million dollars bonus and all the free balls the clubs can use is what the National League of Professional Baseball Clubs get for awarding a 20-year contract to a prominent sporting goods firm for the use of a baseball of its manufacture as the official league ball. President William Hepburn Russell of the Boston club, with John Whalen of the New York club, form the committee which will draw up the new contract.

It is the same kind of ball that has been used by the National League for the past sixteen years, and in adopting it again by a Cincinnati firm, said to have been $325,000 in twenty annual instalments of $16,250, of which half was to be cash and half in baseballs supplied.

It has ben commonly supposed, even among the players, that the big leagues paid about 97 cents apiece for balls which retail at $1.25. But the developments to-day show that they not only pay nothing, but receive all the balls they use free and a very considerable sum of cash besides.

The exact terms of the contract were not disclosed, but they are understood to have been a cash offer, accompanied by a $500,000 certified check and "all the balls the eight clubs could use in playing championship games." The ball in question is made in Chicago, and the contract begins with the season of 1912.

The league also adopted the schedule without change, and incidentally raised the salary of President Thomas J. Lynch from $9,000 to $10,000, so that the chief would not be troubled this season on account of the high cost of living.

The meeting wound up without a single deal going through. The Rustlers offered Dave Shean to Philadelphia for Otto Knabe, Charley Dooin turning down the offer instanter. Charley Ebbetts offered Dr. Scanlon to Philadelphia for either Beebe or Ewing and has a chance to get Fred Privins. According to rumor, Cincinnati now is willing to dispose of George McQuillan, and has offered the former Quaker to Pittsburg for Howard Camnitz.

M'GRAW SIGNS BOY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 16.—Manager McGraw of the New York Nationals has signed Maurice McKnight, an eighteen-year-old outfielder, for a trial this year. McKnight has never played professional ball. Last year he led the City League in batting and base-running, hitting .366 and stealing 28 bases in 30 games.

SHULTZ JOINS PHILLIES

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 16.—"Toots" Shultz, one of the greatest college pitchers in years, has turned professional. He will be seen this season in the uniform of the Philadelphia National League club, with which he has signed.

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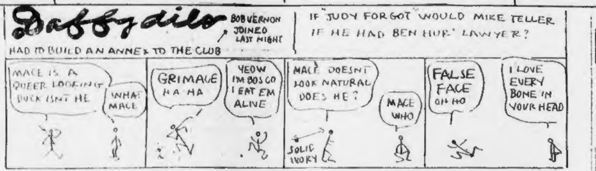

Daffydils
BOB VERNON JOINED LAST NIGHT
HAD TO BUILD AN ANNEX TO THE CLUB
IF "JUDY FORGOT" WOULD MIKE TELLER IF HE HAD BEN HUR' LAWYER?
MACE IS A QUEER LOOKING DUCK ISNT HE
WHAT MACE
GRIMACE HA HA
YEOW I'M BOSCO I EAT EM ALIVE
MACE DOESNT LOOK NATURAL DOES HE?
SOLID IVORY
MACE WHO
FALSE FACE OH HO
I LOVE EVERY BONE IN YOUR HEAD

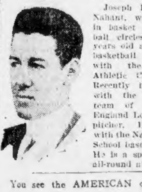
HERRMANN HERE AS ELKS' GUEST

August Herrmann, president of the National Baseball Commission and Grand Exalted Ruler of the Elks, arrives here this afternoon to attend the banquet to be given in his honor at Faneuil Hall to-night by the Elks.

Garry, as he is known to the general public, is tendered a reception immediately after his arrival from New York, by the Boston Union Printers' Baseball Association. The reception is held at the Elks' Club. Mr. Herrmann is the donor of the national baseball trophy for which the newspaper teams compete annually and is also an active member of the Cincinnati Union.

Who's Who IN BASKETBALL

JOSEPH DURAND, No. 31.



Joseph Durand of Nahant, well known in basket and baseball circles; twenty years old and played basketball this year with the Nahant Athletic Club team. Recently he signed with the Lawrence team of the New England League as a pitcher. He played with the Nahant High School baseball team. He is a sprinter and all-round athlete.

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HARVARD'S 1911 FOOTBALL DATES

Although the Harvard football schedule has not been submitted to the athletic committee for ratification, yet it was learned to-day the games which the Crimson will play have been practically decided. The schedule is as follows:

September 30—Bates at Cambridge.
October 7—Bowdoin at Cambridge.
October 14—Williams at Cambridge.
October 21—Amherst at Cambridge.
October 28—Brown at Cambridge.
November 4—Princeton at Princeton.
November 11—Carlisle at Cambridge.
November 18—Dartmouth at Cambridge.
November 25—Yale at Cambridge.

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Sloane, f.		f., Van Gordan
Hurlburt, f.		f., Gillette
Storgaard, f.		f., G. Curtis
Gould, c.p.		c.p., Michael
Vose, p.		p., Peterson
Lange, g.		g., C. Curtis

Tech and Williams, old college rivals, clash to-night at the Boston Arena in a hockey battle that promises to be one of the hardest fought of the season.

The Berkshire boys are out to make a final cleanup by taking the measure of the M. I. T. seven, but they have a big proposition before them, as Tech has one of the best teams in its history, as scores made this Winter will show.

The result of the game will settle the college championship of New England, as Dartmouth is in the Intercollegiate League, leaving Williams and Tech as the foremost candidates for the title. They will battle it out to-night as only a couple of college rivals can battle.

Tech has given the biggest teams plenty of trouble in hockey clashes, while Williams earned the best reputation in the country last year when the Princeton Tigers, the intercollegiate champions, were "slain." The Tigers have not recovered from the defeat yet, as their showing this season goes to prove.

The Tech team has the best support of any hockey team around the Hub, as the students and the alumni turn out at every game, while Williams has a big body of graduates in this end of the State, and they will be on deck to put ginger in the Berkshire team.

NELSON DROPS HONOLULU TRIP

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Battling Nelson has switched his touring plans entirely now and instead of pointing his nose toward Honolulu starts to-day for Kentucky.

John E. Madden, the horseman, is the gent responsible for the switch, and the Dane is tickled to death. Bat was up last night chewing the calico about the future and tipped us to his plans.

"I was all prepared for a trip to Honolulu," said Bat. "But when I met Mr. Madden at the Garden he asked me how I'd like to go down to his farm in Lexington, ride his horses, eat my head off and make myself perfectly at home. He told me that I could rest out there much better than I could in Honolulu, where everyone would want to see me, and I accepted his kind offer.

"I will go home to Hegewisch first, then take a trip to the Springs, where the baths will sort of fix me right, and then I'll go right to Lexington and simply kill the easy life with the horses, guns and horsemen. I'm a bug on horses, and I'm dead sure that Kentucky is the place I can find proper rest in.

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The deep price cuts presented here will compel many frugal men to buy now for next season's use. All suits during this sale at one price—

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$35.00 Outside Fur Coats
Serviceable coats of Dogskin, finished with Coon collars; comfortable, full cut, roomy coats, limited number only at
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A limited number of these perfect coats of Calfskin, finished with Calf collars; cut full and roomy. While they last at
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$90.00 Fur Lined Overcoats
Included are Marmot linings with Otter collars, Seal with Seal collars, and Marmot with Muskrat collars, at
$50.00

$125.00 Outside Fur Coats
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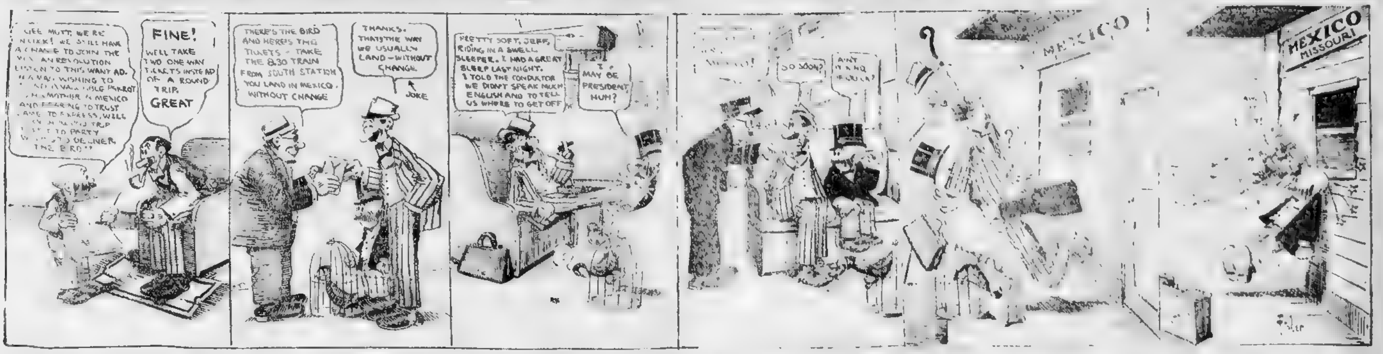
By "Bud" Fisher


GEE MUTT, WE'RE NUKKY! WE STILL HAVE A CHANCE TO JOIN THE [illegible] REVOLUTION LISTEN TO THIS WANT AD. [illegible] WISHING TO [illegible] PARROT [illegible] MOTHER IN MEXICO AND FEARING TO TRUST [illegible] TO EXPRESS, WILL [illegible] TRIP [illegible] TO PARTY [illegible] DELIVER THE BIRD"
FINE! WELL TAKE TWO ONE WAY TICKETS INSTEAD OF A ROUND TRIP. GREAT
THERE'S THE BIRD AND HERE'S THE TICKETS - TAKE THE 8.30 TRAIN FROM SOUTH STATION YOU LAND IN MEXICO WITHOUT CHANGE
THANKS. THAT'S THE WAY WE USUALLY LAND - WITHOUT CHANGE
JOKE
PRETTY SOFT, JEFF, RIDING IN A SWELL SLEEPER. I HAD A GREAT SLEEP LAST NIGHT. I TOLD THE CONDUCTOR WE DIDN'T SPEAK MUCH ENGLISH AND TO TELL US WHERE TO GET OFF
I MAY BE PRESIDENT HUH?
SO SOON?
AIN'T IT A NQ [illegible]
MEXICO
MEXICO MISSOURI
Fisher

LANGFORD FAVORITE TO WIN OVER LANG

SAN [illegible] The sporting [illegible] of new paper [illegible] in this morning [illegible] Bill Lang [illegible] Lang [illegible] date [illegible] February 15 [illegible] February 21 [illegible] promoter who is to manage the Langford affair at the Olympia Club in London, sends word that [illegible] contest [illegible] England [illegible] has taken place [illegible] Frank Slavin and Peter [illegible] years ago.

Langford [illegible] favorite and [illegible] so many supporters that [illegible] equal be [illegible] According to Jack Johnson [illegible] have to [illegible] his figures considerably if he expects to interest the champion in a bout across the water.

"To begin with," said Johnson to-day, "I need [illegible] I have no fear of the consequences from Lang or Langford. I believe I could defeat either man without much trouble and such being the case [illegible] people, who do not understand all the angles of the boxing game, wonder why I do not jump at an offer such as McIntosh has made.

"They figure, of course, that I am sure of the winner's end of the purse and they are puzzled to know why I do not accept the terms. It is simply a matter of doing to others as others have done to me.

"As I tried for years to butt into the championship [illegible] and to take whatever was thrown to me. The other fellow got all the money and I was glad, to consider myself lucky because I got a chance to fight."

McIntosh [illegible] according to his letter [illegible] arranging [illegible] Abe Attell and Freddie Welsh to take place at Olympia in March or April. He is also negotiating [illegible] between Freddie Welsh and Johnny Summers and another between Harry Lewis and [illegible] Slabby. The latter [illegible] is now on his way to England from Australia.

FAST HEAVYWEIGHTS IN MANCHESTER BOUT

The Queen City A. C., of Manchester, N. H., has signed Andy Morris of this city to meet Jack Fitzgerald of Philadelphia in a fifteen-round bout February 22. This [illegible] day attraction is the first heavyweight match offered by the Queen City A. C. since its organization.

Fitzgerald and Morris are a great deal [illegible] the ordinary run of heavyweights, and [illegible] is expected [illegible] of the contests that have been staged recently by the Queen City A. C. [illegible] has been of the [illegible] type, and this [illegible] is in line with the preceding ones.

Morris is training at a camp in Rhode Island for the bout, but he will [illegible] preparatory work at Lake Massapoag [illegible] Manchester. Word was received from New Haven, the manager of Fitzgerald, to-day that Fitzgerald would finish training in Manchester.

"CURLY" BROWN AFTER NEW YORK GIANTS

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 16.—According to a report here today, H. D. ("Curly") Brown, general manager of the Florida Live Stock and Agricultural Fair Association, which conducts the race meet here has been negotiating with John J. McGraw of the New York Giants who, it is said, represents John T. Brush, owner of the New York Club, for [illegible] purchase of the New York National League franchise. Since McGraw's arrival here he has been [illegible] steadily in communication with the manager of Moncrief Park and it is reported that many conferences have been held on this subject.

BOWLING ALLEY NEWS

Ballot was agreeable in playing a [illegible] with N. Y., N. H. & H. in the Mercantile League and came out of the fray with [illegible] of the [illegible] points. The work of Steve [illegible] was much admired [illegible] his strings reading in the second match 78, 71 and 77, a total of 226. The [illegible] that Steve [illegible] to the result was that he earned two more points in the total than did Morosse, and [illegible] to a 67 string.

[illegible] Beatty says [illegible] ever sent out the story that he would bowl at the Dedham alleys, [illegible] with [illegible] must have [illegible] of nightmare. Bill declares he has all he can attend to in running his own alleys without traveling about [illegible] elsewhere. Being always at home Bill is ready to take on any [illegible] they can go a few. All they will have to do [illegible] down on him at any time and he will bowl for fun or otherwise.

Smith and Crescenzo won the twenty-string match with Burns and Bashaw at Springfield for $200, with a total of 4,025 against 3,777. In the opening block the winners were 178 pins [illegible] good which advantage they increased by 90 pins in the second half decided. In the match Smith averaged 101 1-10, Crescenzo, 100 [illegible] Burns, 94¾, Bashaw, 94 1-10.

James O'Hara, assistant manager of Murray & Irwin alleys, has a team of five girls he will match against any team in Greater Boston. O'Hara's team comprises Miss Charlotte Fowler, Mrs. Kewer, Miss Nellie Benson, Miss Margaret Cross and Mrs. Cration. Now somebody accept this deft and the fun will be on.

Sam Green, of Murray & Irwin's, got after the pins in a friendly match the other evening for seventeen strings, rolling a total of 1,911, an average of 112 7-17. Few cracks in Greater Boston can do better when [illegible] at their very best. Sam has a right to be chesty.

Wel[illegible], the Beacon Chambers trimmed the Old Colony Specials three out of the four points. [illegible] Hartford did not get his ball to working [illegible] the final string, when he got away with 10[illegible] his other strings reading 82 and 81. Mills of the [illegible] had high string of the evening, with 200.

C. M. Goodnow is certainly at home with the Boston pins. In the last match with Arlington Boat Club his total was 330, in his first couple of strings getting 120 and 126. Goodnow's average in the Amateur Boston Pin League is over 100 for the entire season.

Roberts of the Mercantile League is one of those very consistent chaps, as per his rolling of the last match when he connected with 76 pins in each of the three strings.

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SPORTS of all SORTS

BY RILEY

ALL HAIL THE KING! GARRY HERRMANN, chief justice of the Supreme Court of baseball, is in town. Certainly no visitor to Boston for many years will receive a finer welcome than the Grand Ruler of the Grand Exalted Lodge of Elks, will be extended to-night in Faneuil Hall, when the good fellows of Boston gather to greet him. Tom Rice tells me that there will be about 400 diners, which means the "400" of Boston will be on hand to royally extend the hand of fellowship. Garry, in the capacity of private citizen, and illustrious leader of the Elks, has made a legion of friends. A great reception awaits him.

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A HOST OF GOOD WISHES WILL GO with Young Leary, the Waltham catcher, who will be given a thorough try-out in the Southland by Manager Connie Mack, of the Philadelphia Athletics. It is a singular fact that the four hold-outs in the matter of signing contracts with the World's champions are all pitchers—Coombs, Bender, Plank and Russell. One of the singular things of baseball is that the wise and astute Connie has always been able to secure the best work from one of the lowest salaried teams in the country. One year his payroll was but $12,000. But it now looks as if there would have to be some stretching of the purse strings before the crack heavers of the club for the coming season are all placed safely under cover.

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IN CONVERSATION WITH A NUMBER of commercial men who saw the Brown-Wolgast bout over in Slowtown, the general opinion seems to coincide with that of Emil Thiery, who is directing the affairs of Packey McFarland. And that is that if Wolgast ever consents to a meeting that Packey will cut the champion to pieces with his stiff jolts at short range. While [illegible] appreciates that Wolgast's long suit is [illegible] of a limited number of rounds, it [illegible] to be the dope of the old [illegible] extended ringside experience, that McF[illegible] is the lad who will have [illegible], if he is ever able to engage [illegible] upon in a genuine contest for the honors at 133 pounds.

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THE BEST INDOOR RACE AT THE [illegible] distance that has been held this Winter is sure to result when Oscar Hedlund, the Brookline distance runner, takes on Abel Kiviat, George Bonhag, and Jim Sullivan of the Irish-American A. C., Jack Tait, the crack Canadian, and Harry Gissing, the [illegible] champion, at the New York A. C. games in Gotham Saturday night. It should be a great race, in fact the best that has been seen on an indoor track this Winter, and Hedlund can be counted upon to make an excellent showing against the best short distance runners in this country.

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JIMMY COLLINS, THE FORMER IDOL of Boston baseball fans, is in town, [illegible] up the Providence baseball club for the season. The Providence club is owned entirely by Boston men, T. D. Crowley, C. J. Davis and Hugh Duffy. Jimmy bids fair to have the best team that has represented the Clam City in a number of years, but he declines as usual, to say much in advance of the season. George Mill, the former infielder of the Cleveland team of the American League, and who will cover the second sack for Jimmy is bound to prove a royal infield knight for Providence. The best wishes will be extended to the old leader of the Boston Americans, for a most successful season.

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FRANK HAYDEN OF LEWISTON, ME., one of the deans of the sulky in New England, has secured two excellent pacing mares for the races to be held here this season, in Mary Cloutrell, by Knight, and Song Bird, by Wiggins. The old sport can be relied upon to give the boys his customary clever run for the money over our New England half-mile tracks the coming Summer.

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PLANS ARE UNDER WAY FOR THE erection of a memorial monument on the spot where the famous battle was fought between John C. Heenan, the American heavyweight champion, and Tom Sayers, the English champion in April 1860. It is fitting that the greatest bare-knuckle contest in the world's history should be perpetuated, and it is planned to hold a reunion of the survivors who saw the world famous contest, on the day of the dedication.

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LARRY HANRAHAN, ONE OF THE best known of Boston sporting men is able to be about again after suffering a fracture of the ankle, and is receiving congratulations from his friends. There are none of the boys who are more popular than Larry and his coming out again to join the circle, assures a welcome presence indeed.

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JOHNSON IS THE CHAMPION HEAVYweight; it looks like Dave Smith may be the best middleweight and "Knockout" Brown has a chance at the lightweight championship. With Johnson, Smith and Brown leading three of the top classes in pugilism, all that is needed to make the family list complete is a Jones to snatch the welter title.

HARVARD ENTERS 78 FOR GAMES

Harvard will be well [illegible] indoor track meet [illegible] First Armory Corps at [illegible] Saturday evening with [illegible] individual entries. In [illegible] the relay team which was [illegible] by the Yale freshmen [illegible] against the relay of Troop [illegible] Cavalry of the Island [illegible] Guards. If the latter team [illegible] portion to the length of [illegible] freshmen will have rough going.

The list of Harvard [illegible] will be as follows:

[illegible] K. S. Billings, F. O. Bergquist, R. [illegible], B. Habacas, H. M. Hood, J. B. Lewis, J. J. O'Brien, K. Reynolds, R. C. Foster, J. W. Twomey.

Harvard [illegible]—W. L. Allen, J. J. Abbott, W. B. Adams, W. A. Barron, L. H. [illegible], H. Freund, J. Gozzaldi [illegible] Davies, L. E. Hodges, P. B. [illegible] J. [illegible] J. R. Harriman, H. W. [illegible] O'Brien, F. J. Rabbette, D. P. [illegible] [illegible], S. G. Simons, F. H. [illegible]

1000-yard run—J. J. Abbott, [illegible] F. D. Everett, S. Saanks, W. H. [illegible] Lawless, H. Jacques, Jr., P. Newton, K. Nichols, G. W. Bosserman, P. M. Prel[illegible], K. Roosevelt, [illegible] A. [illegible]

[illegible]

NOVEL SPRING FASHIONS—The nicknacks you'll need if you aspire to be up-to-date will be told about and pictured in a full page of the Sunday AMERICAN.

ROXBURY LATIN WINS SCHOOL TRACK MEET

Roxbury Latin w[illegible] the [illegible] track and field m[illegible] with Volkmann, and Noble & Greenough [illegible] at Dexter Field, Brookline [illegible] excepting the victory when the [illegible] others took the first and second [illegible] the 1000-yard run, and final [illegible] the work [illegible] Noble & Greenough w[illegible] with 10 and Volkmann [illegible] 11 points.

40 TO 1 SHOT WINS EMERYVILLE WINDUP

OAKLAND, Cal., Feb. 16.—Azo [illegible] at 40 to 1 w[illegible] closing race of the [illegible] Emeryville [illegible] there were some good upsets.

BRITISH CHALLENGE FOR MOTOR BOAT CUP

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The Royal Motor Yacht C[illegible] a challenge to [illegible] Motor Boat Club of America for a race for the British international trophy, which is now held by the United States.

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In the first place the Harvard and [illegible] freshmen [illegible] race [illegible] the Harvard freshmen [illegible] at the B. A. A. meet on a [illegible]

M'FARLAND TO FIGHT MORAN

[illegible] and Owen Moran are [illegible] fight before Billy Gibson [illegible] York [illegible] March 11 [illegible] he has the signed [illegible]

JUNIOR SWIMMERS IN TANK EXHIBITION

[illegible] swimming and water [illegible] junior swimmers [illegible] to-day at the Brookline [illegible] program includes [illegible] egg and spoon [illegible] diving, life saving [illegible] wrestling, etc.

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Something Just as Good

By KENNETT HARRIS

OUTSIDERS sometimes consider that we are too enthusiastic about the exceptional advantages of Bibberly Heights. They listen to us with [illegible] good-natured tolerance, as one listens to the bragging of a small boy with his first watch. It may be a pretty good watch, considering its price [illegible] know what [illegible] watches are, for instance, we think of their long record of unvarying accuracy, of their highly jewelled movements and [illegible] cases, and smile. That is the attitude of many people to the suburb, but when you think of Prouty—

Prouty came back to us in [illegible]. Sam Courson, our real estate agent, had been corresponding [illegible] the station with his smart little buggy to meet him and drive him over to the [illegible] addition. As they drove down Main street, Prouty asked Sam to stop at a drug store. "I've got a little touch of indigestion," he said. [illegible]

"All right," [illegible] lered.

"Have [illegible] the Char Pepe," [illegible] said [illegible] and that's just [illegible] don't know [illegible]

Sam [illegible] said Prouty [illegible] it mightn't [illegible] as well [illegible] and I've had [illegible] stitutes.

Just What He Wanted

So he got the Tum-Ease [illegible] relieved [illegible] them over and the more he looked the wider [illegible] he said. "Puts 'em over anything I had imagined at the price. [illegible] worth the money. I guess I'll have to call the place 'The B[illegible].'" [illegible]

They went [illegible]

Of course [illegible] Sam was pretty mad about it and gave old Brinklitter a piece of his mind. "I'll never handle another foot of your property, so help me!" he said, and then he turned to Prouty. "I'll refund the amount of the expense you've been put to, Mr. Prouty," he said to him, "and take my chances of a damage suit against Mr. Brinklitter here to get even, but I'm mighty sorry just the same, seeing you've taken such a fancy to the place."

"Don't let's be in a rush," Prouty answered. "I haven't seen all the Bibberly property yet [illegible] something that's [illegible] good [illegible] Tum-Ease."

His Openness of Mind

"You seemed to be so exactly [illegible] I don't think it was any use proposing it," said Sam. "We'll try it, though." So they got into the buggy again, and about the third place they went to, Prouty fell dead in love with and they had the deed made out and the money in the bank, in escrow, before the five-thirty back to town.

Sam said right then that nine men out of ten would have [illegible] guess he was right [illegible] Prouty started building right away, and a month later his wife got back in time to superintend the finishing touches. We all [illegible] Prouty, and [illegible] his wife, [illegible] house was a [illegible] remarkable thing [illegible] he called his openness of mind. He had his preferences [illegible] a preference, after all, was nothing more [illegible] might easily modify or even change entirely. He advanced this point of view on my back porch one evening.

[illegible] sleep because I couldn't get what I wanted," he said, puffing contemplatively at his pipe between sentences. "When I was a little [illegible] fully accepted a nightlight in a basin of water as a substitute. Some fellows want the earth, but that's not me.

His Perfect Confidence

[illegible] My first real job was with the cleaning department of a livery stable [illegible] the position of assistant cashier in the local bank that had been [illegible] offered to me had been [illegible] a remarkably bad person with [illegible]

[illegible] something just as good. My [illegible]," Here Prouty broke off [illegible]

[illegible] out of five thousand.

The Highest Compliment

"If you had come to me eight years ago with that offer, I might have taken you up," said Prouty to the [illegible]

[illegible] is that in Bibberly I can't get an acceptable substitute or even a clever imitation on the face of the earth. If Adam and Eve had been put down in Bibberly Heights, an illicit distillery couldn't have generated snakes enough to tempt them within a mile of anything that looked like an apple tree, no sir. There's just as good fish in the sea as ever came out of it. I believe that, but there's exceptions to every rule, and you can't find any fish smell about Bibberly, anyway."

Coming from Prouty, that really meant something.

To-day's Best Story

"IT must have been frightful," said Mrs. Bowden to her husband, who was in the earthquake. "Tell me, what was your first thought when you awakened in your room at the hotel and heard the alarm?"

"My first thought was of you," answered Mr. B[illegible]. "Yes. The first thing I knew a vase [illegible] the ear; then a chair [illegible] in my direction, and when I jumped to the middle of the room four or five books and a framed [illegible]" [illegible]

The Poet's Vision

A Great Sculptor's Idea of the Dream Children of Hugo's Brain

From the group exhibited by George Bareau, Paris Salon, 1906

[illegible] sends forth, through his gift of vision, new types; strong men and fair women, rogues, vampires. From the article by Thomas Tapper.

Two Kinds of Dreamers

By THOMAS TAPPER

I.

WHEN we have freed our mind from belief in things that are not true, we have found our freedom.

Or, said another way, no one can use all the mental and spiritual strength that is his portion if his mind is filled with untruths.

The [illegible] of his friend, and loses the friendship he might have kept and increased. He chops a limb off the tree of his life, and sometimes that kills the tree itself.

In quite the same way we misread life about us. We pity the laboring man and admire the poet. The one is, we think, a galley-slave to hard work, the other has a life of roses and fine wine.

Let us begin removing untruths with this one.

II.

Here sits the poet. Before him there are coming forth a troop of new characters. [illegible] through his gift of vision, new types [illegible] vampires and strange [illegible]

With his pen in hand, he grasps at them so that they shall live, not only for him but for all mankind. "These," he says, "are things as they are; let me make them plain for those who dwell among them and yet cannot see them."

So he thinks and works, and eats two or three meals a day, if he can get them—generally without roses and fine wine—and tends to business as hard as he can.

Here stands the laborer. Before him, the fields of the earth; in his hand, not a pen, but a few sods. Poor man, we say, he must sow his seed and keep on toiling in the earth, fighting with nature until Autumn. Hot days and rainy days find him out here in the fields. There isn't much in life for him.

This is the way we settle his affairs for him.

But we must remember these two facts: (1) The poet has work to do, hard work at that; and, (2), the laborer sees visions so beautiful, indeed, that poets often try to write about them.

It is a wonderful thing to draw out from the imagination the characters that Victor Hugo and Charles Dickens and their kind have made so real that we know of them better than we know our own friends. But it is no less a wonderful thing to sow seeds with the hand, and see, as one does it, growing grain, fair fruits, sleek cattle and a contented family. These are real creations.

Both poet and farmer labor to bring into being THINGS THAT DO NOT YET EXIST. And they both see the things of their creation, in vision, LONG BEFORE THEY DO EXIST.

We believe many things that are not true. One of them is that poet labor is easy, and earth labor is hard. We seem now to see that work is work, whatever its kind; and IT IS ALWAYS HARD IF THE MAN WHO WORKS wants to bring the ideas in his head out into the open for others to see. That is a great thing to do. And it is never easy.

A man who can write a beautiful message in the page of a book is no less a laborer than the one who can write a beautiful [illegible] in a field of the earth.

And probably in the end one is as great a poet as the other.

What Is True Love?

Mr. Howe's Romantic Question Leads One Correspondent to Break Into Verse

MR. A. G. HOWE asked this paper to define for him:

"What IS true love?"

And a poetic contributor, Mr. A. L. Wright answers it in these lines:

"What is true love? Methinks no one can tell:
For human speech, however wise and strong,
Appears inadequate, and ages long
Seem impotent to bring the magic spell
Within the range of words. Where Love's sweet bell
Hath wrought its miracles; where Doubt and Wrong
Are fled and mortals learn the seraph's song
Lo, there perchance some one may e'en dispel
The wondrous mystery! Go ask fair Ruth
The Moabite; Rebekah at the well;
Or Jacob when his firmament was starred
With orbs of light and visions of the Truth!
What is true love where we poor mortals dwell?
Alas! ask Heloise and Abelard!"

And what would these immortal lovers say? Ask Rebekah. She would say that true love is the love that [illegible] get up and leave father and mother, and kindred and home, and follow a man to the end of the earth; that makes his country henceforth her country; his people her people, and his gods her gods.

The Wonderful Love of Ruth

Such a love is a miracle, past all explaining, and its wonder is that it is repeated, over and over again, down to this very day, and before our very eyes. When you meet little Mrs. Smith in Boston at a tea party and she tells you that she is a San Francisco girl and came East to live when she married, lower your eyes and tread softly, for the ground whereon you stand is holy ground, sanctified by a great love.

She loves as did Rebekah, and has sacrificed as much, and as freely and as gladly. For the sake of a man she has journeyed into a far country. She has left the father who cherished her, the mother who bore her on her breast, the sisters and brothers who were a part of her very existence. She has given up home and friends and all the dear familiar associations of a lifetime, just because a handsome stranger has come whistling across her pathway and whistled the heart out of her bosom.

It is love that makes the world go round, and it is love of the truest that makes a woman willing to forsake all that she has known and loved before, and, without a backward regret, follow a man wherever his fortunes lead him.

If she were asked what is true love, what would Ruth say? Ruth would say that true love is service, and patience, and, she might incidentally add, with a tip to her sex, that the woman who simply inundates a man with her affection is pretty sure to get him at the last. He has to marry her to save her life.

Soft Carpet for a Man's Feet.

Ruth's particular brand of love is the love that makes itself a soft carpet for a man's feet, and a pillow for his head; that is a cloak that shelters him from the cold in Winter, and a fan that cools and soothes him in Summer.

It isn't particularly romantic, or heroic love, and it doesn't sweep a man off his feet in any sudden gust of passion; but it is comfortable, and wholesome, and, before a man knows it, it has become necessary to him. And then he marries Ruth, and never regrets it, and she [illegible] poor humble soul, lives ever after in the seventh Heaven of matrimonial bliss.

There are many women who love like Ruth. You see them—spinsters, feigning interest in some subject that bores them to death to please some man, happy when he notices them, unresentful when he neglects them, praying, hoping for a dilly-dallying lover to come to the point, and ready anxious to pick up his handkerchief when he drops it; wives waiting with heart-breaking patience for roaming husbands to come back to them, when they grow old and worn out with the world. Oh, there are so many, many Ruths, who give so much and ask so little; and it is such a comfort to reflect that, in the end, persistent love seldom fails of its reward.

And what is true love? If you should ask Heloise what would she say? She would say that true love is the love that gives itself without counting the cost; that cries, "All for love and the world well lost!" It is the grand passion that sweeps all before it in some tremendous cyclonic emotion—and that leaves, oftener than not, desolation and death in its wake.

Fill Suicide's Graves

There are many women who love as Heloise loved and her fate is the common fate of all: for it is the sad destiny of those who love not wisely but too well, to be betrayed, deserted, scorned. You see them in the sad sisterhood of the street. You hear of them filling suicide's graves, or laughing out in sorrow and tears the long years of a blighted life. They have had [illegible] when they drank [illegible] to the dregs [illegible]

God help all women who love as did Heloise.

A Matrimonial Reverie

By FANNY FERN

"THE love of a spirited woman is better worth having than that of any other female individual you can start.

"I wish I had known that before! I'd have plucked up a little spirit, and not gone trembling through creation, like a plucked chicken afraid of every animal I ran a-fowl of.

"I have not dared to say my soul was my own since the day I was married and every time Mr. Jones comes into the entry and sets down that great cane of his, with a thump, you might hear my teeth chatter down cellar!

[illegible] company, to see if I [illegible] the right thing; and the [illegible] for [illegible] if his black eyes shut.

"It's so aggravating to find out a mistake at this time of day. [illegible] Wonder [illegible] look dignified? [illegible] it would do to turn straight [illegible]

[illegible]

Harry will come home presently and thunder out, as usual, 'Mary, why the deuce isn't dinner ready?' I'll just set my teeth together, put my arms akimbo, and look [illegible] oh, mercy, I can't. I should dissolve!

"Bless your soul he's a six-footer; such whiskers—none of your sham settlements! Such eyes and such a [illegible] mouth.

"[illegible] to think of [illegible] I really [illegible] I [illegible]

Guess I'd go along the old way!"

Lace Help

First, put right side of lace to right side of material. Sew the edge of lace one-fourth of an inch from edge of material. Then lay over and sew far enough from edge of material to make a neat hem, which when done will show only one row of stitching and the lace looks like it was sewed by hand. This is especially good for [illegible], as it never rips and does not show edge of lace.

THE MYSTERY OF THE "VILLA ROSE"

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MADAME CAMILLE DAUVRAY, elderly, rich and noted for her jewels, has been found strangled in her salon, at the Villa Rose, on the road to Lac Bourget, near Aix-les-Bains, France. Her maid, Helene Vauquier, who had been her constant attendant, and seemingly devoted to her, was found in an upper room, bound and chloroformed. The murder of Madame Dauvray occurred between 9 o'clock at night and midnight.

The police discover that the murderer was admitted by an accomplice within the house, and suspicion falls on Celia Harland, a beautiful young English woman, who recently joined Madame's household as her companion.

Besides Celia and the maid, there were Servattes, the chauffeur, and a charwoman; but the latter left at her customary hour—8 o'clock—to go to her home in Aix, and the chauffeur that night visited his parents in Chambery. Hence the only two persons, so far as known, with Madame the evening she was murdered were the maid and Celia.

When the crime was discovered at midnight, Celia had disappeared, and Madame's heavy touring car was missing.

Harry Wethermill, a rich young English tourist, who had met Celia but a few weeks before in the company of Madame at Aix-les-Bains, refuses to believe that she is guilty, and with the aid of his friend Julius Ricardo seeks out Hanaud, the shrewdest detective in Paris, then on a vacation at Aix.

The great detective is inclined to believe that Celia is the tool of a band of robbers who had been attracted by Madame's famous collection of jewels, left by her late husband, and that murder had been inadvertently added to the crime of the robbery.

Wethermill is forced to recall that the night before the crime Celia was greatly agitated and refused to make an appointment with him. He and Ricardo visit the scene of the crime with Hanaud. There they learn from Servattes that it was Celia who told him to take his [illegible] that her shoes fit precisely certain telltale imprints in the ground near the salon window. Hanaud also discovers that another woman and a man are concerned in the case and were probably present when the crime was committed. The detectives give orders to trace Celia's shoemaker.

Hanaud examines the ground and amazes all by declaring that the murderers left the house between 11 o'clock and midnight; that Celia had made a leap from the room where the crime was committed, stumbled and had to be lifted into the waiting auto. The other two—the man and woman—wore rubber overshoes and gloves to leave no identifying marks.

CHAPTER V.

In the Salon

JULIUS RICARDO pushed aside the curtains with a thrill of excitement. He found himself standing within a small oblong room, which was prettily, even daintily furnished. On his left, close by the recess, was a small fireplace with the ashes of a burnt-out fire in the grate. Beyond the gate a long settee covered in pink damask, with a crumpled cushion at each end, stood a foot or two away from the wall, and beyond the settee the door of the room opened into the hall. At the end a long mirror was let into the paneling, and a writing table stood by the mirror. On the right were the three windows, and between the two nearest to Mr. Ricardo was the switch of the electric light. A chandelier hung from the ceiling, an electric lamp stood upon the writing table, a couple of electric candles on the mantelshelf. A round satinwood table stood under the windows, with three chairs about it, of which one was overturned, one was placed with its back to the electric switch, and the third on the opposite side facing it.

With infinite patience he gummed the fragments on to the cord fitting them together like the pieces of a Chinese puzzle.

Ricardo could hardly believe that he stood actually upon the spot where within twelve hours a cruel and sinister tragedy had taken place. There was so little disorder. The three windows on his right showed him the blue, sunlit sky and a glimpse of flowers and trees; behind him the glass doors stood open to the lawn, where birds piped cheerfully and the trees murmured of Summer. But he saw Hanaud stepping quickly from place to place, with an extraordinary lightness of step for so big a man, obviously engrossed, obviously reading here and there some detail, some custom of the inhabitants of that room.

Ricardo leaned with careful artistry against the wall.

Now what has this room to say to me?" he asked importantly. Nobody paid the slightest attention to his question, and it was just as well. For the room had very little information to give him. He ran his eye over the white Louis Seize furniture, the white panels of the wall, and polished floor, the pink curtains. Even the delicate tracery of the ceiling did not escape his scrutiny.

Yet he saw nothing likely to help him but an overturned chair and a couple of crushed cushions on a settee. It was very annoying, all the more annoying because M. Hanaud was so uncommonly busy.

Hanaud looked carefully at the long settee and the crumpled cushions, and he took out his measure and measured the distance between the cushions at one end and the cushion at the other. He examined the table, he measured the distance between the chairs. He came to the fireplace and raked the ashes of the burnt-out fire. But Ricardo noticed a singular thing.

In the midst of his search Hanaud's eyes were always straying back to the settee, and always with a look of extreme perplexity, as if he read there something, definitely something, but something which he could not explain.

A Notepaper Clew

Finally he went back to it; he drew it further away from the wall, and, suddenly, with a little cry, he stooped and went down on his knees. When he rose he was holding some torn fragments of paper in his hand. He went over to the writing table, and opened the blotting book. Where it fell open there were some sheets of notepaper, and one particular sheet of which half had been torn off. He compared the pieces which he held with that torn sheet, and seemed satisfied.

There was a rack of notepaper upon the table and from it he took a stiff card.

"Get me some gum or paste, and quickly," he said. His voice had become brusque, the politeness had gone from his address. He carried the card and the fragments of paper to the round table. There he sat down and, with infinite patience, gummed the fragments on to the card, fitting them together like the pieces of a Chinese puzzle.

The others over his shoulders could see spaced words, written in pencil, taking shape as a sentence upon the card. Hanaud turned abruptly in his seat toward Wethermill.

"You have, no doubt, a letter written by Mlle. Celie?"

Wethermill took his lettercase from his pocket and a letter out of the case. He hesitated for a moment as he glanced over what was written. The four sheets were covered. He folded back the letter, so that only the two inner sheets were visible, and handed it to Hanaud. Hanaud compared it with the handwriting upon the card.

"Je ne Sais Pas"

"Look!" he said at length, and the three men gathered behind him. On the card the gummed fragments of paper revealed a sentence:

"Je ne sais pas."

"I do not know," said Ricardo; "now this is very important."

Beside the card Celie's letter to Wethermill was laid.

"What do you think?" asked Hanaud.

Besnard, the Commissaire of Police, bent over Hanaud's shoulder.

"There are strong resemblances," he said gently.

Ricardo was on the lookout for deep mysteries. Resemblances were not enough for him; they were inadequate to the artistic needs of the situation.

"Both were written by the same hand," he said definitely; "only in the sentence written upon the card the handwriting is carefully disguised."

"Ah!" said the Commissaire, rending forward again. "Here is an idea. Yes, yes, there are strong differences."

Ricardo looked triumphant.

"Yes, there are differences," said Hanaud. "Look how long the up stroke of the 'p' is; how it wavers! See how suddenly this 's' straggles off, as though some emotion made the hand shake. Yet this," and touching Wethermill's letter he smiled ruefully, "this is where the emotion should have affected the pen." He looked up at Wethermill's face and then said quietly:

Written Yesterday

"You have given us no opinion, monsieur. Yet your opinion should be the most valuable of all. Were these two papers written by the same hand?"

"I do not know," answered Wethermill.

"And I, too," cried Hanaud, in a sudden exasperation, "Je ne sais pas. I do not know. It may be her hand carelessly counterfeited. It may be her hand disguised. It may be simply that she wrote in a hurry [illegible] to her [illegible]."

"It may have been written some time ago," said Mr. Ricardo, encouraged by his success to another suggestion.

"No, that is the one thing it could not have been," said Hanaud. "Look round the room. Was there ever a room better tended? Find me a little pile of dust in any one corner if you can! It is all as clean as a plate. Every morning, except this one morning, this room has been swept and polished. The paper was written and torn up yesterday."

To Be Continued To-morrow

HOW TO REMAIN YOUNG—Mme. Lina Cavalieri will give the vital recipe for combating age. Learn the secret from her page in the Sunday AMERICAN.

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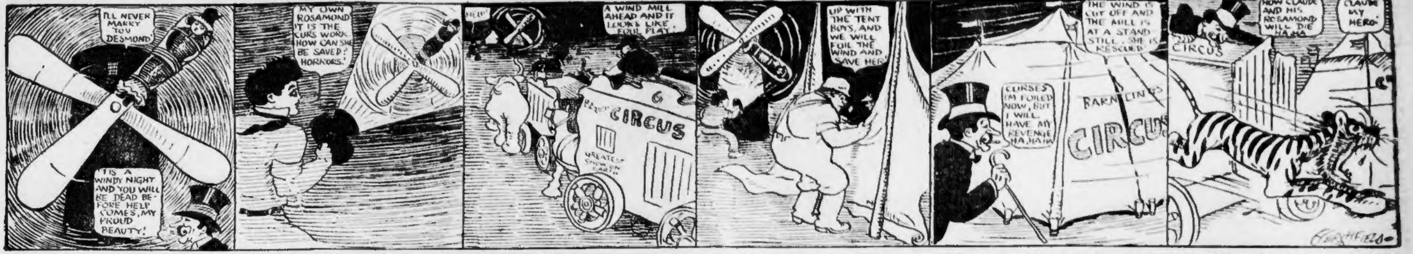
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CIRCUS
GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH
UP WITH THE TENT BOYS, AND WE WILL FOIL THE WIND AND SAVE HER!
THE WIND IS CUT OFF AND THE MILL IS AT A STAND STILL. SHE IS RESCUED
CURSES I'M FOILED NOW, BUT I WILL HAVE MY REVENGE HA, HA, HA
BARNACINGS
CIRCUS
HOW CLAUDE AND HIS ROSAMOND WILL DIE HA HA
CLAUDE MY HERO!
CIRCUS

'Tis a dark and stormy night. The wind howls through the sails of the old wind mill. Even that wouldn't be so bad, if the sails would only stand still and let the wind howl, but they won't. 'Tis not their nature to. And poor Rosamond must go round and round with the sails, because Desmond has tied her fast to one of them.

Here comes Claude Eclaire with a lantern. He sees the pitiful plight of our brave heroine, but what can he do? There's no way of stopping the wind mill unless you stop the wind, and that is beyond the power of even a hero in a melodrama. No matter how brave a man is, he must bow to the forces of nature.

Hooray! The circus is coming to town. Now we'll have some fun. All the farmers will be in from miles around, and they'll drink pink lemonade and dally with the festive shell game to their heart's content. But wait! The tents are not up yet, and besides, Rosamond is still in danger. Something ought to be doing right away.

You may say what you like of the circus—it may possibly be that the show does not always come up to what the bill board pictures would lead you to expect, but the circus people have brave hearts and willing hands, and they always respond to the call of beauty in distress. If Rosamond can be saved, they'll do it.

And they have saved her! By pitching their tent around the wind mill they shut off the wind, and immediately the sails cease to revolve. Not only that, but the manager has already doped out a scheme whereby the wind mill can be used for a new acrobatic stunt that will make the "Dip of Death" look like a game of "Anthors."

All would be well were it not for that cowardly cur, Desperate Desmond. Just because he can't bear to see other people happy, he has gone and let the Royal Bengal tiger out of its cage in the fond hope that it will chew up Claude and Rosamond. To-morrow's pictures will show how well, or ill, he succeeds in his dastardly plot.

A Thrilling Story of the Highbinders of San Francisco

The Shadow of Quong Lung

Mystery of the Orient Transplanted to America :: By Dr. C. W. Doyle

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Synopsis of Preceding Chapters

Quong Lung, the most dreaded man in San Francisco's Chinatown and head of a powerful tong, has set his heart upon possessing Moy Yen, the beautiful young wife of Ho Sung. He employs Chin Lee, a letter writer, who is heavily in Quong's debt, and over whose head Quong holds the threat of an exposure of evidence concerning a murder which Chin committed ten years ago in America.

Ho applies to Chin to write a letter for him to Moy Yen, and the scrivener pretends to take what Ho dictates, but in reality plots to have her delivered into Quong's hands. He encloses money for her and their child to sail in two months' time, but Chin secretly makes the time two weeks earlier. Part of Chin's bargain with Quong is to see that an agent in China slays the newly born child.

CHAPTER IX.

The Voice of Travail.

"TO Ho Chung, two months after the despatch of the above letter, came the following reply from Moy Yen, which was thus translated to Ho Chung the next day, after the crafty Chin Lee had conferred with his Manchu agent:

"Best Beloved: Thy babe hath come!—and it is a Man-Child!

"Oh! my lord, I have walked on a path that is hedged with death on both sides. Pain held my right hand and Fear my left. The night was dark and clouded and full of whisperings of mischance. And oft I should have failed and died, but the thought of Ours, and of my husband in a far and strange land toiling for me, sustained me. And then the babe Ho Sung was born, and the light returned.

"But the ever-fresh wonder of thy Man-Child! How may I tell it? Oh! Ho Chung, his hands are like the petals of a rose, and a cunning woman from Hindoostan hath taught me how to stain his nails with henna.

"But the greater wonder of his feet, my Might! He kicked himself naked with them last night,—and I can hold them both in one palm!

"He is so beautiful that I do not even fear to put him to the breast that is stabbed with a thousand knives when he suckles.

"He hath speech, also, and it in terms of two simple cries that convey impressions of pleasure and pain: his laughter is like a tiny, happy waterfall; and his wailings are melodious, too, save that they pierce my heart. And he groweth amain—I can scarce sustain him, though my breasts are never empty.

"Beloved, the twenty taels thou didst send me have arrived. It is a thousand years till I get the rest of the moneys that shall take me to thee, and enable me to put Thine-and-Mine, as thou callest him, in thy arms.

"From thine own,
"MOY YEN."

CHAPTER X.

The Withering of a Bud.

"HO CHUNG was overcome to the point of death when I read this to him," said Chin Lee, extending a letter to Quong Lung. "You see, he had knowledge through a previous letter that a notable babe had been born to him; and then came this letter, which, in his grief, he left with me."

Quong Lung took the paper, and read as follows:

"Best Beloved! Sharer of my joys and sorrows!—A great sorrow hath befallen us.

"But the babe—our babe, Thine-and-Mine!—was ever such a babe!

"How may I tell it!

"Yesterday some miscreant stole it from us. At first my heart filled with hope, because of the milk that flowed into my breast, for, methought, that was a sign that our little one was still alive, and that I should, surely, suckle it again. But now my heart is full of pain, and my breasts are empty of milk!

"Strength of my Strength! Call thy utmost strength to thy aid; thy man-child Ho Sung was stolen from my side as I slept, and to-day his body was found in the canal, and my milk, oh; my Lord, lay on his frozen lips."

"Thy honorable and aged parent in the Flowery Land is an 'artist,'" said Quong Lung, extending a cigar to Chin Lee.

"But we are ever more favored than our sires, for we reap the harvests sown by them. In fact, Chin Sen, my father, but followed out my directions," answered Chin Lee, eagerly.

Quong Lung proceeded to read as follows:

"Oh, my Lord, my babe being dead, and thou in a far land, my life droops. Oh, let me come to thee soon, soon, soon!

"From thy grief-stricken wife,
'MOY YEN."

"See to it that she comes soon," said Quong Lung, putting five double eagles on the table. "Her beauty will fade if she sorrow too long. Ah! I have it," he exclaimed. "My agent at Shanghai, Fan Wong, will despatch his next consignment of slave girls to me two months hence under charge of my wife, Suey See, who doth such errands for me. Moy Yen shall return as thy Californian daughter, Chin Lee, in fulfillment of the requirements of the Chinese Exclusion Act. Thy daughter shall have honorable escort."

"Thou art in merry mood this morning, Compeller. But greater honor would accrue to Moy Yen if she were to come as thy daughter—and no questions would be asked by the authorities on this side."

"No questions shall be asked in any case," said Quong Lung.

"Even the White Devils fear thee, War Reacher! But the man Ho Chung is young and strong—and he might get knowledge of this matter—and my life is still precious to me. 'Twould place me on a dangerous path bordered by death, Most Merciful."

"Therefore do I order it," said Quong Lung, slowly, regarding Chin Lee with half-closed eyes. "But thou hast done well so far, Chin Lee; passing well. How much dost thou owe me?"

Quong's Bookkeeping

"One hundred and thirty-eight dollars, Fair Dealer—and the rack of a scrap of paper that fell into thy hands. Consider, I have caused thy shadow to fall on a flower that hindered—and the flower hath withered. Thou wilt let that weigh with thee, Most Merciful."

"'Twas well done; very well done! 'Twas worth not less than the fifty dollars I herewith remit of thy debt to me in money," and Quong Lung wrote, and gave Chin Lee a receipt for that amount.

"But thou are not appraising the removal of the babe at fair value, Quong Lung."

"Fair enough, fair enough, when one considers that which was found ten years ago in Ross Alley in the hand of a dead man."

"Quong Lung, 'twere easier to confess all than to live under the stress of thy shadow. Yes; to confess all—all!—some of thy misdeeds, too."

To be continued to-morrow.

The Old Maids' Club

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Another Member Deserts the Organization.

MOLLIE put on her hat, looked at herself in the mirror, then slowly drew out the silver pins and laid the hat on the dressing table.

"Mollie B," she said severely, "you are a vain goose. Miriam said not to wear that hat again if you were in earnest about wanting to be an old maid, and here you are putting it on and prinking as hard as ever; I'm ashamed of you."

She picked up the offending hat, gave it a little shake, and then put it on her curly head at a different angle and gazed at herself once more.

"It's a very becoming hat," she sighed. "And the last time I wore it Tom said"—Here Mollie B. had the grace to to blush, and no one but herself and Tom will ever know just what he did say.

A Novice in the Club

"It's raining," she went on, presently, "and I won't meet a soul and I'm just going to wear it no matter what Miriam says. She likes stiff shirt waists and plain hats and she doesn't know what a temptation it is to wear pretty, fluffy things."

Now Mollie B. had just joined the Old Maids' Club, and had faithfully promised to discourage the arch enemy, man—especially one particular man who answered to the name of "Tom."

Nature had not intended that Mollie should be an old maid and had fashioned her in tenderest curves and softest lines and made her altogether a most desirable young person.

But Miriam had said that it was noble and independent to be an old maid, and that all men were unworthy; and Miriam, being stronger of will than little Mollie, had won the day.

"I won't encourage Tom—I mean any man," correcting herself hurriedly; "but I tell you frankly, Miriam, that I expect it will be rather lonely being an old maid." And Mollie sighed and added wistfully, "I've seen quite a number of happy married people."

Keep Faith Three Weeks

For three weeks Mollie had been a very faithful member of the "O. M. C." To-day the rain was on her nerves and she was rebellious.

For three weeks many imploring notes signed "Tom" had remained unanswered. Numerous bunches of violets had been ruthlessly handed over to Mollie's younger sister.

Now, for four days there had been no notes and no violets.

Mollie told herself bravely that she did not care; that she was glad Tom was taking it sensibly; but the pink of Mollie's cheeks was growing fainter, and the blue eyes held a wistful question in their depths.

The rain fell dismally, drearily, and Mollie walked in the park.

She walked quickly and with set purpose. "I'll take our own particular walk and sit on our own particular bench; it's so wet no one will be there," she told herself.

But when she turned the jutting point of rock that sheltered that very special bench, somebody was already there.

"Oh," said Mollie, with a soft gasp.

"Mollie!" Cried a Young Man

And "Mollie," cried the young man with a tone of incredible joy in his voice.

"I—I—just felt like taking a walk, it's so—so—" Mollie faltered and blushed adorably.

"Fine out," finished the young man obligingly.

"Yes, that's it," said Mollie guilelessly. "Won't you sit down; this umbrella is big enough for both of us."

Then an inquisitive squirrel witnessed something so remarkable that he scampered right home to tell mamma and the little squirrels.

"If you'll believe me, my dears," he chattered excitedly, "two of those extraordinary things called human beings sat for five minutes without speaking one word; and then, as if it were not already damp enough, that silly girl human began to let great drops run from her eyes. And then the man human looked at her and then"——

"Well, well, go on," chattered Miss Grey Squirrel, "what happened next?"

"I really don't know," said Father Squirrel, looking rather foolish; "you see I came scampering home to tell you all about it."

"Stupid!" said Mamma and the Misses Grey Squirrels.

Under the Umbrella

And, on the bench under the friendly umbrella, Mollie and Tom looked gayly at each other.

"Here's to the downfall of the Old Maids' Club," said Tom, shaking the raindrops off the umbrella.

Then he kissed Mollie right before the scandalized Father Squirrel, who had hopped back, hoping those foolish human beings would remember their duty and scatter a few nuts for him to glean.

"It must have been that hat that made us act so foolishly," said Mollie B. hypocritically.

"That must have been it," said Tom, and then he kissed her again.

OSTON ON PARADE—See the next section of it—people you know—in the City Life Section of the Sunday AMERICAN.

SHE SUFFERED FIVE YEARS

Finally Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Erie, Pa.—"I suffered for five years from female troubles and at last was almost helpless. I went to three doctors and they did me no good, so my sister advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and when I had taken only two bottles I could see a big change, so I took six bottles and I am now strong and well again. I don't know how to express my thanks for the good it has done me and I hope all suffering women will give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. It was worth its weight in gold."—Mrs. J. P. ENDLICH, R. F. D. No. 7, Erie, Pa.

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The Tragedy of the Waffles

"I'VE got a beautiful surprise for you, Tommy," said the young bride to her husband one morning at breakfast.

"Something to eat?" asked Tom, passing by the plate of forlorn looking biscuits and helping himself to a piece of toast.

"Piggy-wig!" responded the bride, contemptuously. "Yes, it is something to eat, but you're not going to get it until Sunday morning. It's waffles."

The bride folded her small hands in her lap and beamed proudly upon her recent acquisition in the matrimonial line.

"Whew!" whistled Tom, who was always properly appreciative. "Did you ever make any, Pudge?"

"No," said the bride. "But I have a perfectly lovely set of whaffle irons that one of the girls gave me at my kitchen shower, and I'm just crazy to use them."

Making the Waffles

The young wife rose half an hour earlier than usual the next Sunday morning. She spread out the cook book on the table.

"'Two eggs,'" she chanted to herself. "It doesn't say whether to beat them separately or not, but I want these to be the finest waffles that ever were, so I'll beat them separately."

She broke the eggs into two dishes, humming a little song as she did so. Then she leaned again over her culinary guide, philosopher and friend.

She bustled around, and presently an odor of well cooked ironware began to fill the room. The young wife dampened a finger and applied it daintily to the outside of the waffle iron.

She carefully opened the irons and deposited a spoonful of batter in each receptacle. Then she closed them and waited a few minutes. An odor of neatly browning waffles and very smelly waffle irons rose to her nostrils and gradually filled the room. A worried crease began to show on her smooth forehead.

The Cook Book Was Silent

She took a hasty peep at the cook book, but it was unrelentingly silent on the subject. An odor of burning drew her back to the stove. She took hold of the handle of the iron on the northeast corner and tried to raise it. It refused to move. Then she gave it a little jerk. Still there was no response. She gave it a still more decided jerk, and the iron opened with a suddenness that can be ascribed only to the total depravity of inanimate things.

It opened its jaws with a vicious pop and then shut them again with a clap that made the young wife dance away from the stove and cover both eyes with her hands under the impression that they were full of red hot batter.

In the rebound she came up against the pan of batter, and it fell to the floor with a crash.

At this crucial moment the little demons that preside over such annoying affairs moved Tom, the large and innocent, to open the door. Ignorant that the situation was explosive in a high degree, he called, jovially:

"Breakfast ready, Pudge?"

Driven to frenzy by the sight of the immaculate and self-satisfied looking masculine thing, the young wife gave a wild, inhuman bellow. Then she deliberately kicked the offending waffle iron to the other side of the room.

He Spoke No Word

In terrible crises we sometimes have almost preternatural intuitions. Tom's behaviour upon this occasion was almost uncanny in its intelligence. He spoke no word, he made no offer of assistance. He beat a hasty retreat, while the once happy bride flung furious words after him.

Tom, like the really lovely creature that he was, softly returned to the kitchen, cleaned it up after his own peculiar though sincere fashion, made himself some toast, and an hour later was furnishing a stalwart shoulder for a repentant young wife to shed tears copiously upon.

Suffrage Like Heavy Shoes

By WINIFRED BLACK

Dear Winifred Black:

I should like to hear from you as to the "woman suffrage" movement. Do you believe that women should have the right of suffrage now or in the future? What do you think the effect would be on the average home? Do you think women generally at the present time are willing to delegate the political questions, voting, etc., to their husbands and brothers Would not political differences between husband and wife have a tendency to increase the business of the Divorce Courts? JESSIE M. EMERSON.

DO I believe that women should have the right of suffrage now or in the future?

Do I believe they should have it?

I do not. Do I believe they must have it? I do. Do I believe they will have it? Also, I do.

There's a great difference between should, will and must, isn't there?

Do I believe, for instance, that women should wear heavy-soled boots and rainy-day skirts?

I do not believe any such thing. Heavy-soled shoes are made for men, and there never was a woman in the world past seventeen who didn't look an absurd freak in a short frock. But women must wear heavy-soled shoes and short skirts, and women will wear heavy-soled shoes and short skirts, and women do wear heavy-soled shoes and short skirts.

They don't like them, they hate the looks of them, and no real woman ever feels quite at home without something on that swishes when she walks.

But women work these days. They don't stay at home and read novels or do tatting; they come downtown, either to buy the baby a new pair of shoes or to get a new nutmeg grater for the kitchen, or to go down to the office and earn a living—and most of them don't go in carriages.

They walk part of the way and ride the rest of the way in a crowded street car; so they can't dress as they want to, they dress as they must.

That's the way I look at this voting business. I don't believe the average woman wants to vote at all. I think the average woman has so much to do now that it is all she can manage to keep from having nervous prostration before she's forty, and I do wish she didn't have to have the extra burden of politics and the understanding of politics put upon her shoulders.

But wishes are not horses, and beggars do not ride these days.

The appalling number of women who earn their own livings and the livings of two or three others dependent upon them answers the voting question—before it's even asked.

The average woman doesn't want to vote, but the average woman will have to vote—just as long as she has to work.

It's the only way she can get equal wages, equal hours and fair treatment.

I wish it were not so. I wish all women were protected and taken care of. But they are not, and the world is as it is and not as it ought to be, and so we must face it, we women, as well as all other human beings.

"Would not political differences between husband and wife have a tendency to increase the business of divorce courts?"

Oh, I don't know. I don't believe so. A man and a woman who want to quarrel will find plenty of excuse for quarrelling without dragging politics into the matter at all.

I do not think that the records of the suffrage State show any more divorce cases than the records of the States where the women are not allowed to vote.

Woman suffrage isn't much of a question any longer; it is almost an established fact like the heavy-soled shoes and the sensible skirts and the shirtwaists and the other badges of hard work worn, and worn not always willingly but always of necessity, by the modern woman.

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COMPARE AUTO AND AEROPLANE

By J. C. KERRISON.

A comparison between aeroplanes and automobiles is made by the Franklin Automobile Company, which finds similarity between their cars and the air craft in the amount of wood used in the construction of both.

The reason for the use of this material, it is claimed, is that in both mechanisms light weight with maximum strength and resiliency is desired.

It is well known among those familiar with aeroplanes that certain kinds of wood give a combination of the greatest strength with the least possible weight, a quality sought by the constructors of these machines.

The Franklin cars use wood in the chassis frame, a part which many manufacturers make of steel. Second-growth ash is the material used. Three laminations are glued and fastened together with screws, giving a strength greater than that of steel and also a greater resiliency. This type of frame is designed to absorb road shock and is a factor in the light weight of the car.

While the aeroplane does not have to contend materially with road shocks it is subjected to considerable vibration from its motor. These vibrations do not affect the aeroplane as they would were the parts of steel.

An air-cooled motor is another point of similarity. Many air men are using this form of motor while the Franklin Company has always used it. The elimination of the water-cooling system avoids extra weight.

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Colonel Studebaker and Sales Manager Redden of the Studebaker Company are here in town spending a few days with the local representative. These gentlemen have been all over the country and are much pleased with the present outlook. They feel that their interests in New England are being well cared for by Local Manager Vessey.

The visitors announced a sweeping reduction in the price of the Studebaker "40," which will hereafter be sold for $2,850 instead of $4,000, the price existing heretofore.

The Studebaker "40" contains a Garford chassis and is equipped with a 4-cylinder, vertical, water-cooled, 40-horsepower motor, the cylinders being cast in pairs and having a bore of 4¾ inches and a stroke of 5¼ inches. It is equipped with a clutch of the well-known cone type, leather-faced, with cork inserts, and is also equipped with springs under the leather face to insure contact, preventing the clutch slipping and gripping.

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The Massachusetts Automobile Operators' Association is nothing if not progressive. It proposes to take care of the interests of its members and has retained J. Albert Brackett as its counsel for the coming year. In case any of its members are summoned into court for infraction of the automobile laws of the State, or street regulations of the city, Judge Brackett will appear in their defence when an appeal is made.

The association has arranged that a bonding company will give surety for the appearance of the defendant in the higher court. This is an arrangement which appeals to every one of the members, and certainly is in itself of value to any operator of an automobile.

ADMIRAL SPERRY LEFT ALL TO WIDOW

NEWPORT, R. I., Feb. 16.—The will of Rear Admiral Charles S. Sperry, U. S. N., who recently died in Washington, has been filed for probate here by Newton Adams, attorney for Mrs. Sperry. The document was carefully drawn, and is what might be termed a mariner's will on board the flagship Connecticut, Nov. 12, 1908, while the admiral was commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet. It leaves everything to his widow, now in Philadelphia, with the personal property not above $15,000. Marcy L. Sperry, son of the admiral, is appointed executor.

N. H. SENATE TAKES UP TRADE TREATY

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 16.—The New Hampshire Senate discusses the proposed reciprocity agreement with Canada to-day, when a resolution of indorsement, which was introduced by Senator Haven Doe, Democrat, of Somersworth, comes up for consideration. The Doe resolution is distinct from that passed by the House on February 1, which has not yet been taken up in the Senate.

FIFTEEN FOREIGN STEAMERS IN PORT

Fifteen foreign steamers have arrived in port this week. Yesterday five brought cargoes valued at $3,000,000, six others are due before Sunday. A real boom in over-ocean trade is apparent, and the year promises to be a record breaker.

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TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS

DULLNESS IN WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The stock market opened firm today, most of the stocks showing advances. Missouri Pacific, which was the storm centre of the market yesterday, was up three-eighths from its closing price.

Among the other stocks that advanced were Steel, Reading, Consolidated Gas and Northern Pacific. The gains ranged from ⅛ to ½.

The Curb market opened moderately active and firm. American railway shares were quiet in London, at gains over New York parity, and the disposition was manifested to await the decision in the freight rate cases.

A reduction from 4 per cent. to 3½ per cent. in the minimum rate of discount of the Bank of England had apparently been expected.

After fifteen minutes of trading the market here became dull and a few minutes later it practically stopped altogether.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for the leading New York stocks to noon:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Atch. T. & S. F.	106⅝	106	106⅛
At. T. & S. F. pf.	103	103	103
Balt. & Ohio	105	105	105
Brooklyn Rap Tr	78⅝	78	78¼
Canadian Pac	212½	211	211
Ches. & Ohio	86¼	85½	85⅝
Chic., M. & St. P.	128	126½	126½
C., C., C. & St. L.	65	64½	65
Col. & Southern	57½	57½	57½
Del. & Hudson	170⅛	170½	170⅛
Denver & Rio G.	34½	33⅝	33⅝
Erie	32⅝	31½	32
Erie 1st pf.	51½	50⅞	51
Gt. Norehern pf.	130½	129	129
Int. Met. pf.	54½	53⅞	54⅛
Louis. & Nash	146	146	146
Lehigh Valley	177¼	176⅛	176⅝
Mo., Ks. & Ter.	35½	35⅛	35⅛
Missouri Pac	60½	57¾	58⅛
N. Y. C. & Hud.	112¾	112¼	112½
N. Y., Ont. & W.	42⅝	42⅜	42⅜
Norfolk & West	106⅝	106½	106½
Northern Pac	128⅝	127⅝	127⅝
Pennsylvania	127⅝	127¼	127½
Reading	160	158⅝	158⅝
Rock Island	32⅝	32	32⅛
Southern Pac	119½	118½	118¾
Southern Ry	28	28	28
Texas & Pacific	29⅝	28½	28½
Union Pacific	179½	178	178⅛
Union Pac pf	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
Wabash	16¾	16¼	16¼
Wabash pf	37⅝	35⅞	36⅝

INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Amal. Copper	65	64⅛	64⅛
Am. Car & Fdy	56½	55¼	55½
Am. Beet Sugar	44	44	44
Am. Ice Secur.	21⅜	21⅛	21⅜
Am. Sm. & Ref.	79⅝	78¾	78¾
Am. Sug. Ref.	119¼	118⅝	118¾
Am. Can pf.	81⅛	81	81
Biscuit	122⅝	122⅝	122⅝
Anaconda Copper	39⅝	39¼	39¼
Col. Fuel & Iron	34¼	34	34
Con. Gas (N. Y.)	143	142	142
Cent. Leather	32	31⅝	31⅝
Northern Ore	62⅛	62¾	62¾
Press. Steel Car	35½	35½	35½
U. S. Rubber	43¾	43	43⅛
U. S. Rubber 1st pf.	112	112	112
U. S. Steel	81	80	80
U. S. Steel pf	119	118⅞	118⅞
Utah Copper	45⅝	45⅝	45⅝
Va.-Car. Chem.	65½	65⅛	65¼
West. Un. Tel.	74⅝	74⅝	74⅝
West. El. & Mfg.	70	70	70

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for the leading Boston stocks to noon:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Boston & Maine	122	122	122
N. Y., N. H. & H.	150⅝	150¾	150⅝
East Boston	9½	9⅝	9⅝
TELEPHONES.			
American	145½	145½	145½
MINING STOCKS.			
Atlantic	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
Daly-West	3	3	3
Granby	34½	34½	34½
Greene-Cananea	6¾	6¾	6¾
La Salle Copper	5	4¾	5
North Butte	29¼	28¾	28¾
Oscela	107	107	107
Shannon	11	11	11
Utah Con.	12	12	12
MISCELLANEOUS.			
United Fruit	188	187¾	188
United Shoe Mach.	57	57	57
United Shoe M. pf.	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
UNLISTED SECURITIES.			
Amalgamated	65	64¾	64½
Am. Agri. Chem.	51	51	51
Superior & Pitts.	14⅜	14¾	14¾
U. S. Smelting	35¾	35¾	35¾
East Butte	12¾	12⅝	12⅝
Helvetia	1¾	1¾	1¾
Kerr Lake	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛

BOSTON CURB.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Curb stocks:

QUALIFIED LIST.

Stocks.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Amal. Nev.	18c	15½c	16c
Am. Min. & Dev.	31c	31c	31c
Boston Ely	95c	95c	95c
Butte Central	6¼	6¼	6¼
Calaveras	1 15-16	1 15-16	1 15-16
Chino	22⅛	22⅛	22⅛
Crown Reserve	2¾	2¾	2¾
Davis Daly	1 7-16	1 7-16	1 7-16
Dom. Syndicate	10	9½	9½
Inspiration	8	8	8
Laramie	85c	86c	85c
La Rose	5	4⅞	4⅞
McKinley	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Mexican Metals	3	2⅞	2⅞
Nevada Utah	1⅛	1	1⅛
Ohio Copper	1¾	1⅝	1⅝
R. I. Coal	5	4⅞	4⅞
Raven	37c	37c	37c
Vulture Mines	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛

UNQUALIFIED LIST.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Ariz. Mines	6¼	6¼	6¼
Champion	20c	20c	20c
Cortez	2⅝	2 1-16	2¼
Ely Consolidated	31c	31c	31c
Kruger	60c	60c	60c
Mackinaw	10c	8c	9c

MISSIONARY HELD FOR OPENING LETTER

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 16.—Charged with opening a registered letter at New Bedford, Arol Waller, who for the last week has been conducting meetings for a local mission, is locked up at the police station. Waller has been in this country only a few months, having come from England. There was $15 in the letter.

STATE ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

Since the Bank of England has seen fit to reduce its rate from 4 to 3½ per cent., this should stimulate the investment demand.

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This is a trading market, but that is no reason why the public should stay out of it. The public is waiting, however, and refuses to have anything to do with securities for the time being in a general way.

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Special bullish operations are the rule now, with the majority of the stocks in the list merely marking time. There is a good deal of buying on reactions by traders, and the stop-loss order again is in evidence. This is to guard against surprises.

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The immediate outlook is more or less mixed, but the time does not seem to be ripe for a demonstration of any sort. As the borrowing demand for stocks is not more than moderate, it would not seem as if the bears had any special object in view at this juncture. They will sit tight and await developments.

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Speedy settlement of the Missouri Pacific controversy is important because it proves the determination of leading interests to have no more fights in the stock market for control of the property. It shows that all the leading people are Neither the rabid bulls nor the incendiary bears will be permitted to get control of the market or of any important business interest.

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The change of control of Missouri Pacific is a very important development in favor of higher prices. It adds a new railroad system to the country and gives the street another good stock to trade in, for Missouri Pacific has had only a nominal market in recent years. The possibilities of Missouri Pacific are better than those of almost any railroad stock on the list, for its territory and business are undeveloped. The system will require at least $100,000,000 of new money, but there is no place in America where a dollar would do as much good as in the Missouri Pacific.

New directors representing the Kuhn-Loeb-Standard Oil interests will be elected March 14, and, to settle all controversy, their names were announced. There is no one on the list to indicate that the Rock Island group have anything to say in Missouri Pacific. The Rock Island story grew out of the fact that Henry L. Miller, formerly president of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois, has been considered as a possible president of Missouri Pacific. It has been suggested that the Lehigh Valley, the Wabash, Missouri Pacific, Denver & Rio Grande and Western Pacific could be made into an ocean-to-ocean railroad by letting the Rock Island people into the management and thereby inducing them to put the Lehigh Valley into the combination. But it has never been made clear that the Rock Island people actually control Lehigh Valley, although they have representatives on its board.

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Buying of Erie for the last year has been something of a mystery, for it has been impossible to see why any one should want the stock unless prepared to expend, say $200,000,000, in making the system a great railroad. In the last few weeks purchases of the stock have been traced to bankers who are believed to be operating for one of the great Canadian railroads. Circumstantial evidence points to the Canadian Northern Railroad, but the map suggests Canadian Pacific the real buyer. Either the Canadian Pacific or the Canadian Northern could afford to buy Erie and spend the money necessary to double-track from Chicago to New York. Now that reciprocity seems to be assured, the Canadian roads would find it profitable to come into New York over their own tracks. The Street doesn't know much about Canadian Northern, but it has more than fifteen hundred miles of road in operation, and not a share of stock for sale. It has 1,000 miles of track along which there is only one station without a grain elevator. And it has about the lowest capitalization per mile of any railroad on earth. Erie's vast capitalization could be digested by the Canadian Northern with ease.

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The Financial Calendar for 1911 states in advance for every business day of the year what financial events are due. It is a reference work designed to forecast financial events such as the dates of dividend meetings, the opening and closing of books, payment of dividends, annual meetings, etc. It also gives the official transfer offices of more than 400 of the leading railroad and industrial corporations of the country. The financial calendar company at No. 25 West Broadway, New York, publishes the calendar.

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Gossip on the floor of the Stock Exchange now is referring to a trap that has been laid for the shortage in Amalgamated Copper. The last dip in the stock extended the outstanding bear commitments to a substantial extent, according to this story, and stock is scarce. The Standard Oil interests are credited with having bought freely every time the stock dipped and are in a position to force an advance.

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NEWS OF LOCAL PLAYHOUSES

While it does not add much to his popularity as a romantic actor John Craig is finding the role of Mephistopheles in "Faust" sufficiently attractive to his patrons at the Castle Square Theatre to warrant its retention for another week. Mr. Craig's idea of the devil is not altogether unpleasing, for he makes him a merry old monarch of evil. The loyalty of stock theatre patrons to their favorites is made apparent at the Castle Square, where Mr. Craig goes through four acts of despicable work to the joyous applause of admiring friends.

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With the announcement that Julian Eltinge will visit London with "The Fascinating Widow" before he moves into New York, one may gather that again has Boston had its first chance to approve or condemn a piece made especially for Broadway audiences. If Mr. Woods's plans are not altered New York will wait until next season before Eltinge and his feminine finery hit the Great White Way.

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With an almost unequalled record for success in Boston "Madame X" has entered upon what is intended to be its final three weeks at the Majestic Theatre. This announcement has already produced enough activity at the Majestic box office to demand an extension of time, although it is doubtful if arrangements to that end can be made. At any rate the sobbing drama is more than holding its own against flippant music comedy.

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The policy of adding high-class vaudeville to its motion picture exhibit has made the New Palace Theatre one of the most popular houses in the West End. The plan of changing the bill during the week gives a new show almost every day.

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The train-chaser will have his inning at the Park theatre next Monday, when "The Commuters" arrives in town. In this play James Forbes has taken the merry side of hasty, interrupted breakfasts in the suburbs and turned them into three hours of real drama. No community in the world is closer to the real philosophy of Mr. Forbes's play than Boston, and it is probable that local commuters will see to it that the play receives a satisfactory welcome.

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Among the new plays at the theatres next week will be "The Fourth Estate" at the Shubert, "Beverly" at the Globe, "The Spendthrift" at the Hollis and "The Commuters" at the Park.

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Few if any plays on the road are more expensive or difficult to handle than "The Fourth Estate," which comes to the Shubert next Monday. The fact that a battery of real linotype machines are carried for the composing room scene of this newspaper play, adds much to difficulty of moving from town to town. These machines are not only heavy, but delicate, and it is no small burden to have them listed as "props."

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Gertrude Hoffman and her imitations will enliven things at Keith's Theatre next week.

M'BREEN IN CHARGE OF TRIP TO COAST

Treasurer Hugh McBreen of the Boston Red Sox will make the trip to the coast with the club. President Taylor will be unable to get away with the players and Mr. McBreen will have full charge of the invasion of the big cities of California.

Mr. McBreen will not leave until Sunday for Chicago, where he will join the party, and, with Manager Donovan, will keep the players on the move for the next seven weeks.

BARBERS WOULD SHAVE OLEOMARGARINE DUTY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—A unique petition has been received by Senator Lodge from the Barbers' Union of Leominster, Mass. The organization requests the Massachusetts Senator to introduce a bill to make oleomargarine free of duty. The connection between the barber business and oleomargarine has not been established here.

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CASTLE SQUARE—"Faust."
COLONIAL—"The Dollar Princess."
COLUMBIA—Burlesque.
GAIETY—Burlesque.
GLOBE—"The Rosary."
GRAND OPERA HOUSE—"No Mother to Guide Her."
HOLLIS—John Drew in "Smith."
HOWARD ATHENAEUM — Burlesque and Vaudeville.
HUB—Vaudeville and Moving Pictures.
KEITH'S—Vaudeville.
MAJESTIC — Dorothy Donnelly in "Madame X."
NEW PALACE—Vaudeville and pictures.
NICKELODEON—Burlesque and varieties.
ORPHEUM—Vaudeville and Pictures
PARK—W. H. Crane in "U. S. Minister Bedloe."
SCENIC TEMPLE—Moving Pictures and Vaudeville.
SHUBERT—Sam Bernard in "He Came From Milwaukee."
TREMONT—"The Follies of 1910."
WALDRON'S CASINO—Burlesque.

$363,000,000 TRADE BALANCE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—A balance of trade of more than $363,000,000 in favor of the United States against its foreign creditors, an increase of more than $174,500,000 in the foreign trade of the country and the establishment of a new high mark for exports—such is the record of the United States trade with foreign nations for the first seven months of the fiscal year ending January 31, according to a statement issued by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor.

This showing is considered to be due largely to the higher price of cotton. The increase in exports amounted to more than $172,000,000 and in imports to more than $2,500,000.

The exports for January were $197,060,557, against $144,461,435 in January, 1910; imports, $130,283,223, against $133,670,278 a year ago. The value of imports free of duty was $72,871,543, against $70,461,849 in January of last year; dutiable, $57,411,680, against $63,208,429 for the corresponding month of last year. The excess of exports over imports was $66,777,334, against $10,791,157 in January, 1910.

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In one of the towns near Boston is a manufacturer of candy, who, less than ten years ago, started the business in a loft. Today he has a six-story factory and does a business which nets him a profit of almost $50,000 a year. Not a store in Boston, however, carries his goods, though he sells all over the South, the Middle West and along the North Shore. He does no persistent local advertising. Occasionally before Christmas he announces the superior quality of his candy and advises its purchase; but persistent advertising he does not do, and, as a result, has failed to reap the wide success that some other candies not so good have attained in Boston.

Suppose this man were to advertise his candy to Bostonians through the Boston papers—then suppose he were to go to the trade and tell the trade how he was making his candy known. In making his candy known and thus creating a demand for it he would help increase the profits of any dealer who stocked his goods.

In fact, local advertising is the most effective way to increase local sales. There are 1,400,000 people within ten miles of the State House who have greater purchasing power per capita than that of any other centre in the United States.

Were this manufacturer to advertise week in and week out why his goods should be bought, their delicious quality and wholesome process of manufacture, in time the dealer would go to him for his goods and he wouldn't have to go to the dealer. The best way to get goods on a dealer's shelves is to create such a demand. Consumers will go into the stores to ask for the goods and the dealer will naturally carry what the consumer wants and when you make the consumer want your goods you don't have to worry much about the dealer.

The best way to make the consumer in New England want your goods is to advertise in a paper of such large circulation as the Boston American. The best way to build up a demand for your goods in Boston is to tell its 400,000 readers daily about your goods. It can help you to reach the consumers and to put your goods on the dealers' shelves.

Address for particulars, Trade Aid Department, Boston American.

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NO CURFEW BELL FOR NANTUCKET

NANTUCKET, Feb. 16.—Nantucket will have no curfew. Although the recent reform wave was thoroughly discussed by a number of speakers at the town meeting, the voters decided that a curfew is unnecessary and that the responsibility for the betterment of conditions must rest with parents and in the home.

The women of the town received a special invitation to be present and several of them accepted the courtesies of the floor. More than 100 women heard the debate.

Appropriations were: Highways $6,955, Sconset improvements $1,100, new sewers $7,524, revaluation of town $1,750, cleaning streets $700, town's indebtedness $6,866.66, loan of 1910 $1,300, tree warden $300, suppression of moths $550; total appropriations $85,000.

WOMEN WHO WORK—How to better your condition and earn more money will be told in the second article of a helpful series in the Sunday AMERICAN.

WAR HERE ON VIVISECTION

Boston is to become the center of an attack upon vivisection, which is to be carried around the world by a campaign of educational publicity. The New England Anti-vivisection society, with headquarters in Tremont Temple, will conduct the fight and eminent scientists will be enlisted in the cause.

The crusade will be begun by a loan exhibition displaying the appliances of vivisection. This display will be conducted by a special committee of the New England Anti-vivisection society, including Miss L. Freeman Clark, Mrs. E. L. Clementson, Mrs. Jessica L. C. Henderson, Mrs. A. W. Hooper, Mrs. Charles H. Woodsum, Miss Mary Beecher, Mrs. John Lindsley and Charles H. Woodsum.

This exhibition will be followed by a discussion of vivisection by Dr. Herbert Snow of London, England, which will be held in Lorimer Hall, Tremont Temple, March 1. He will also address audiences in Philadelphia and New York.

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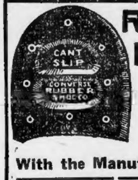

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In response to a great number of requests, the Management has decided to give another matinee performance of HANSEL UND GRETEL, that the children may have an opportunity to hear this beautiful fairy opera.

Sat. Mat., Feb. 18, at 2, HANSEL UND GRETEL. Mmes. Mattfeld, Alten, Claessens, Wickham, Swartz, B. Fisher, M. Goritz. Cond. Goodrich. Preceded by L'ENFANT PRODIGUE. Mme. Nielsen; MM. Lasalle, Blanchart. Cond. Andre-Caplet.

Sat. Eve., Feb. 18, at 8, at popular prices, from 50c to $2.50, THE GIRL OF THE GOLDEN WEST. Mmes. Melis, Leveroni; MM. Constantino, Polese, Gilla, Gantvoort, Blanchart, Mardones, Fornari, Devaux, Perini, Pulcini, Stroesco, Giaccone, Montella, Tavecchia, Sandrini, Ghidini. Cond. Conti.

Monday, Feb. 20, at 8, MANON. Mmes. Alda, Savage, Swartz, Roberts, De Lievin; MM. Clement, Fornari, Mardones, Devaux, Letol, Tavecchia, Stroesco, Huddy. Cond. Andre-Caplet.

Wednesday, Feb. 22, at 8, MANON LESCAUT, by Puccini. Mmes. Alda, Swartz; MM. Caruso, Fornari, Tavecchia, Gilla, Huddy, Giaccone, Stroesco, Pulcini, Gantvoort. Cond. Conti.

Signor Caruso has not sung in New York for two weeks owing to illness, but there is every chance of his recovery in time for next Wednesday. The public is notified, however, that those who retain their seats after next Saturday, Feb. 18, do so at their own risk. Up to that date money will be refunded if desired.

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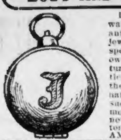

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To Let.

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80 AND 82 SUMMER ST., BOSTON, FEBRUARY 16, 1911

Will They Dare Derail the Reciprocity Express?

The drive of the Reciprocity movement is a political phenomenon **NEARLY UNPARALLELED** in our times.

It may perhaps be compared with the uprising that forced the repeal of the Sherman Silver law of 1890.

In that case, as in this, party lines were effaced.

Congress acted upon an impulse of national self-preservation that came up from the whole people.

So now Reciprocity is a **NATIONAL IMPULSE OF SELF-PRESERVATION**. The people are striving to escape from the toils of a fiscal system that stifles the commerce of the continent and costs bread out of every cupboard.

The President has launched a project that is like a projectile moving forward to its legislative terminal with the momentum of a Limited Express.

Nothing can stop it but a derailment at the hands of a little group of reactionary Senators.

The **AMERICAN** showed Sunday from a careful poll of the upper house that an ample majority of the Senate—at least sixty-five members—are ready to vote for the Reciprocity agreement.

The House of Representatives has voted for the measure. There is no doubt that it will pass the Canadian Parliament.

Unhappily, through the peculiar traditionary cult of custom called "the courtesy of the Senate," it is possible for a small minority of our upper house—or even a single garrulous member—to **BALK THE HOPE OF NORTH AMERICA** by mere time-killing talk.

With characteristic presumption, Senator Heyburn, of Idaho, speaking at a Hotel Astor dinner on Saturday night, told 700 business men that they did not want freedom of trade with Canada.

This was too much for the courtesy of banquets, and the diners, with one voice, shouted back to the speaker: "We do, we do!"

But the "courtesy of the Senate" is different. It is impenetrable to majorities, and permits the maddest folly to be broached without contradiction.

From their inaccessible ambush in the Senate Chamber, Heyburn, Hale and the other reactionaries can, without interruption or arrest, fling trees, ties and scrap iron in front of the thundering Reciprocity Express.

Unquestionably it is in their power to wreck the train. There is no doubt about it.

The question is, **WILL THEY DARE?**

Can reason reach them—before the 4th of March—with any rational fear of the obloquy that falls upon dullard, stubborn officials who thwart or disappoint a nation in a great historical design?

An Old Soldier's Story of the Canteen

We Recommend It to the Hypocrites In and Out of Congress That Abolished the Canteen and Drove the Soldiers to the Dives

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An old soldier, F. M. Short, sends a brief description of the army canteen.

We recommend this lucid, plain statement as to the canteen and its character to Mr. Taft, who is, by virtue of his office, the head of the Army and Navy; the Secretary of War, and, above all, to the hypocritical gentlemen in Congress, who, to oblige a well-meaning but ignorant minority, abolished the canteen, took a decent club and light beer away from the soldiers, drove the soldiers into the dives, whiskey dives of the lowest kind, **INCREASED THE DESERTIONS IN THE ARMY ENORMOUSLY**—and put our army, at the head of all armies of the world among those afflicted with vile, contagious diseases.

We want to ask the conscientious prohibitionists if they don't think it would be better to restore the canteen as it is here described, and destroy the business of the dives that have sprung up, spreading disease, drunkenness and desertion among the soldiers all around the forts and reservations?

This is an old soldier's description of the canteen that hypocrisy took away from the soldiers:

"THE CANTEEN,"

And Why It Should Be Restored to the Enlisted Men.

Few people outside of army circles understand the canteen. Many believe it to be an ordinary drinking place as a convenience for the soldier. The army canteen was conducted in the same manner as an officers' club in every post, and run solely for the enlisted man, the absence of whiskey and other strong alcoholic drinks being the only difference. Beer and soft drinks were its sole wet goods.

A well regulated canteen is supplied with cards, checkers and dominoes (rather harmful, don't you think?)' while above is generally a gymnasium, and I forgot to mention a piano.

This place is set apart for the enlisted man to spend his time in while off duty. Here they gather of an afternoon or evening, enjoying themselves in a quiet, soldierly way. Men from different companies become acquainted and form a friendship which is lasting.

A commissioned officer is appointed "canteen officer." His duties are to see that the place is conducted properly and to render an accounting to each company of the regiment, a monthly statement, showing the profit accrued therefrom. This profit is divided among the different companies and added to their company fund.

The "fund" is in charge of each company commander, who posts each month a written statement in the quarters, to be seen by every member. This "fund" is used to purchase extra eatables which are not issued by the commissary department, but which can be had at any post at invoice price. Many a good holiday and Sunday dinner I have enjoyed through the "company fund."

A non-commissioned officer is next in command at the canteen (a sergeant or corporal). He has general charge, and also attends to the clerical duties connected therewith.

Once a week in each company checks are issued by the first sergeant, which are signed by you and redeemed at the canteen for "brass" or pasteboard checks, your original check being placed on file by the officer in charge. The amount allowed per month depends upon your rank and amount of pay due or to become due. If a man had been court-martialed and had already forfeited a portion of his salary, he was not allowed to draw. In this case a man might get some comrade to draw checks and pay him cash on payday. No man is allowed to overdraw, unless he gets them in the way just mentioned. Each man's account is kept at the canteen and their respective companies, and on payday when you receive your salary you pay over to the canteen officer (who is always there) the amount you have drawn, and receive in return your original checks with signature.

The percentage of the soldier's remaining cash goes to the canteen, as he naturally prefers to go there, and from which he derives a benefit.

I am speaking from experience.

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Sherlocko, the Monk

By GUS MAGER

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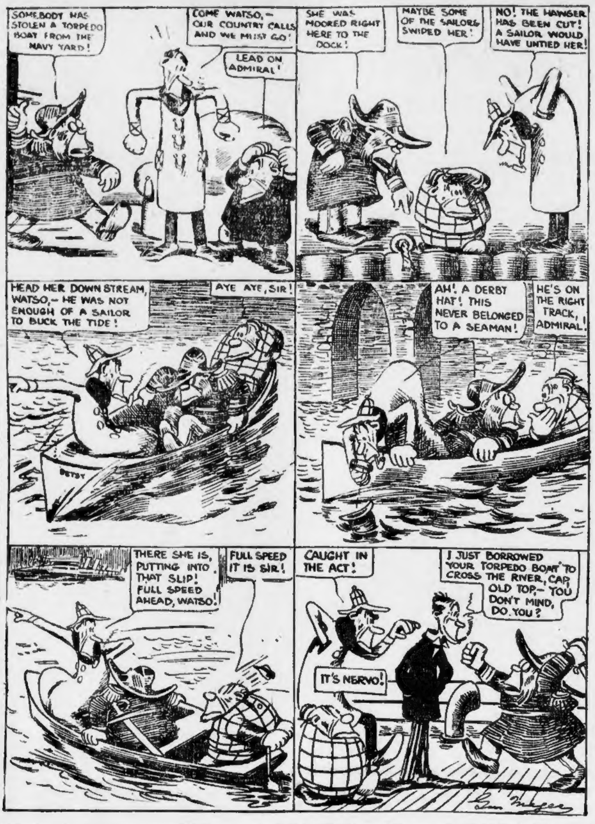
No Mystery Is Too Baffling for Him


SOMEBODY HAS STOLEN A TORPEDO BOAT FROM THE NAVY YARD!
COME WATSO,— OUR COUNTRY CALLS AND WE MUST GO!
LEAD ON ADMIRAL!
SHE WAS MOORED RIGHT HERE TO THE DOCK!
MAYBE SOME OF THE SAILORS SWIPED HER!
NO! THE HAWSER HAS BEEN CUT! A SAILOR WOULD HAVE UNTIED HER!
HEAD HER DOWN STREAM, WATSO,— HE WAS NOT ENOUGH OF A SAILOR TO BUCK THE TIDE!
AYE AYE, SIR!
BETSY
AH! A DERBY HAT! THIS NEVER BELONGED TO A SEAMAN!
HE'S ON THE RIGHT TRACK, ADMIRAL!
THERE SHE IS, PUTTING INTO THAT SLIP! FULL SPEED AHEAD, WATSO!
FULL SPEED IT IS SIR!
CAUGHT IN THE ACT!
I JUST BORROWED YOUR TORPEDO BOAT TO CROSS THE RIVER, CAP, OLD TOP,— YOU DON'T MIND, DO YOU?
IT'S NERVO!
Gus Mager

The Hallroom Boys

By H. A. MacGILL

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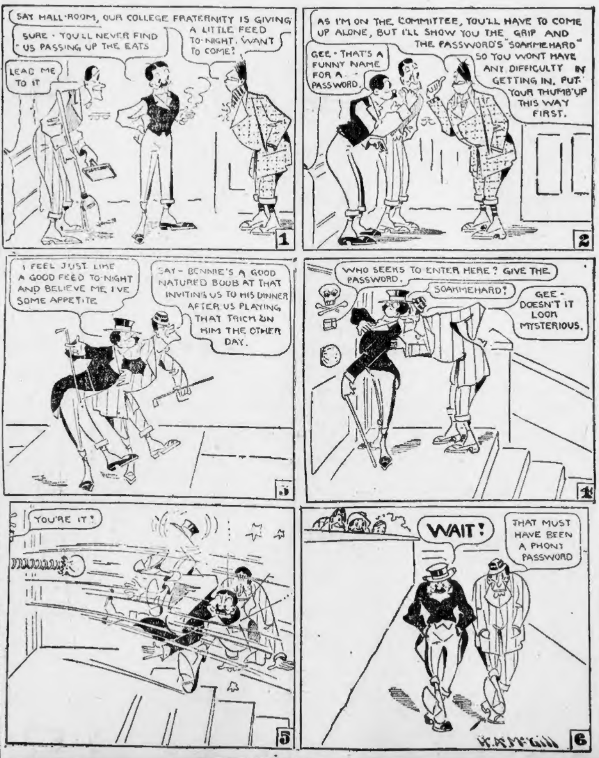
How They Love Their Landlady's Son, Bennie!


SAY HALL-ROOM, OUR COLLEGE FRATERNITY IS GIVING A LITTLE FEED TO-NIGHT. WANT TO COME?
SURE - YOU'LL NEVER FIND US PASSING UP THE EATS
LEAD ME TO IT
1
AS I'M ON THE COMMITTEE, YOU'LL HAVE TO COME UP ALONE, BUT I'LL SHOW YOU THE GRIP AND THE PASSWORD'S "SOAKMEHARD" SO YOU WONT HAVE ANY DIFFICULTY IN GETTING IN. PUT YOUR THUMB UP THIS WAY FIRST.
GEE - THAT'S A FUNNY NAME FOR A PASSWORD.
2
I FEEL JUST LIKE A GOOD FEED TO-NIGHT AND BELIEVE ME I'VE SOME APPETITE
SAY - BENNIE'S A GOOD NATURED BOOB AT THAT INVITING US TO HIS DINNER AFTER US PLAYING THAT TRICK ON HIM THE OTHER DAY.
3
WHO SEEKS TO ENTER HERE? GIVE THE PASSWORD.
SOAKMEHARD!
GEE - DOESN'T IT LOOK MYSTERIOUS.
4
YOU'RE IT!
5
WAIT!
THAT MUST HAVE BEEN A PHONY PASSWORD
H.A.MCGILL
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The Sunday AMERICAN Covers the Whole Field of Sport

War a la Carte

By F. BISHOP

THERE is cruel, brutal war across the border,
Down in Mexico, below the Rio Grande.
Proud Hidalgos cut and slash at one another;
Every yard or so they make a final stand.
Not a Don or Senor ever ceases fighting
Just as long as a machete he can wield;
And when the sun sinks slowly o'er the carnage
The hot frankfurter men swarm on the field.

Insurrectos, out of breath from so much running,
Lie in heaps upon the mesa, pale and wan;
Too exhausted to drink anything but mescal,
And with nothing else to eat but chili con.
Then across the field, all torn by shot and shrapnel,
Come the scavengers who seek the peso rare,
And their cries of "nice tortillas" and "frijoles"
In that liquid Spanish fill the evening air.

Senoritas fair, mantilla-draped, in autos,
Peons wrapped in shawls upon the trolley line,
All take joy rides out to see the fearful battles
And to spend their change for hot tamales fine.
Even Gringoes from El Paso, up in Texas,
Have gone down to watch the warfare—and to grin,
And to wonder what would happen if the Yankees
Should dispatch a few real soldiers to butt in.

Said Sherman: "War is hell!" and well he knew it.
'Twas business with Napoleon and his bunch.
But they left it for our Mexican amigos
To make war an incidental to their lunch.

The Prehistoric World

By GARRETT P. SERVISS

I HAVE before called attention in the columns of the **AMERICAN** to the surprising fact that the Antarctic continent is the loftiest on the globe, attaining a mean elevation, as shown by Shackelton's researches, about twice as great as that of Asia, which has hitherto ranked as the loftiest part of this planet. Asia has higher mountain peaks, but in average altitude Antarctica enormously exceeds it.

It would be interesting to know what part the immense mass of ice-covered land about the South Pole plays in producing the unsteadiness of the earth's axis, which has puzzled astronomers and geologists during the past twenty years.

But a new fact has recently been brought to light which vastly increases our interest in the great austral continent. Mr. Charles H. T. Townsend calls attention to the evidence afforded by Shackleton's work that Antarctica was formerly connected with Australia, South America and probably Africa, forming a stupendous continent, "whose thousands of miles of extent were, for the most part, quickened by a mild climate and populated with an abundant life."

Part of this ancient world of life is now sunk beneath the sea, and part is covered with a mighty sheet of eternal ice. Its former existence serves to furnish a solution of animal and vegetable forms on the earth.

A striking conclusion is that the great present elevation of the Antarctic continent has been attained since the disappearance of the lands which connected it with the other continents. As they sank the vast central core about the South Pole rose higher and higher.

When one part of the earth's crust sinks some other part rises. Mr. Townsend thinks that in Tertiary times Antarctica was not elevated above the present general level of South America and Asia.

But this is carrying us close to the beginning of the reign of man, for we have evidence that he appeared soon after the end of the Tertiary.

One is justified in wondering whether, in a primitive state, he may not have existed on that immense land which then surrounded the Antarctic, and which, as Mr. Townsend remarks, presented possibilities for the evolution of varied forms of life which quite stagger the imagination.

Nothing that Lieutenant Shackleton discovered is more interesting than the remains of ancient forested areas and extensive deposits of coal, indicating the former existence of an abundant flora and fauna. They offer us a page of otherwise unrecorded history which may become more clearly legible with the progress of future discovery.

But enough is already known to give a new direction to all attempts to explain the fables reflected in the most ancient literatures, of vanished continents lying beneath the waves of the ocean. The strange persistence of such traditions suggests the existence in our race of an undefined memory which reaches far beyond the "utmost syllables of recorded time."

Our Vaudeville Programme

By WEX JONES

OLD DOC COOK
In his celebrated monologue, "How I Discovered the Pole Where It Wasn't."

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Illustrated Lecture by
ANDREW CARNEGIE,
Showing his method of making
40—count 'em—40
Multi-millionaires.

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Knockabout Comedy Act.
Mayor Gill, of Seattle,
In his famous sketch, entitled
GETTING THE HOOK.

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UNCLE SAM AND KITTY CANADA
will positively sing their world-renowned duet, "Love Me, and the Continent Is Ours."

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Announcement Extraordinary!!
That laughable farce, THE BATTLE OF JUAREZ, will be performed by 800 regulars and insurrectos, direct from the tamale-strewn plains of Northern Mexico. These artists are positively from the original cast, and can eat red-hot chilis without blinking. Don't miss them!

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NEW FILMS ON THE CINEMATOGRAPH:
Lady Decies smoking a cigarette. Lady smuggler wishing she hadn't. Harem skirt at Paris show. Kaiser Wilhelm sneezing.

An Old Soldier's Story of the Canteen

Continued from First Two Columns

Sharks had little opportunity to get the soldiers' money then as they do now. The canteen, in my estimation, is a necessity, and belongs as much to the enlisted man as the "club" does to the officer.

In our foreign possessions the canteen is especially needed. While I was in the Philippines saloons in Manila flourished. Such places as the Alhambra, San Miguel, the Uncle Sam and many others on the Escolta can boast of scenes of wild disorder when different branches of the service met and clashed while drinking the vilest of whiskey (made by the Chinese), sold as American case goods. In the southern, northern and remote parts of the Islands men drank "tubor," "beno" and other native poisonous drinks, to the ruination of many a good soldier. Men have, to my knowledge, gone beyond their outposts in search of drink, only to be killed or captured, when it might have been avoided had they had a canteen.

Countless desertions and dishonorable discharges can be directly traced to its absence.

"Charity begins at home." Give the enlisted men their canteen, where good fellowship abounds, where the soldier derives a profit on what he spends, and where he can always be found when assembly blows and in condition to do duty.

FREDERICK M. SHORT,
Formerly Corporal Company I, Twenty-first Infantry.

This story of a corporal in the United States Army, telling the facts **AS THEY ARE**, ought to make the Congressional hypocrites and the prohibition extremists ashamed of themselves. They have deprived the soldiers of the canteen, which meant sobriety, and have driven them to disease, drink and desertion as a result. How long will it take to restore that feature of army life which kept the men sober and contented? The answer depends upon the amount of hypocrisy and cowardice that there is in Congress—for every intelligent man of Congress and out of it knows perfectly well that the abolition of the canteen was a blow at temperance, a direct incentive to drunkenness and the cause of spreading disease.

A Big Bunch of Good Things

That is what you always find in the big City Life Section of the Sunday **AMERICAN**. Next Sunday they will be better than ever, and that is "going some."